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Off-site pet adoptions in Waveland Saturday

The Waveland Animal assisted by Shelter, Friends of the Animal in Hancock Shelter County, will be hosting offsite pet adoptions this Saturday, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., in front of the Waveland Kmart. Each pet has first set of shots, flea bath, worming and reduced cost spay/neuter certificate.

St. Clare School PTO hosts \$10K drawdown

PTO will present \$10,000 drawdown on Saturday to benefit the school. Limited tickets available. To take a chance or for more information, call 467-7071.

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MDOT eyes moving rails for highway

Proposed project could cost \$2.7B, be done in 9 years

BY BENNIE SHALLBETTER **Staff Writer**

Mississippi Department of Transportation and DMJM Harris presented preliminary plans Supervisors Wednesday for moving the CSX-Railroad tracks north of the I-10 corridor.

Funding for the two-year \$4 million, stuay, appropriated from the Highway Trust Fund for Remote Sensing and Spatial Information Technology fund. The plan includes creating a new highway rightof-way south of I-10 along the Mississippi Gulf Coast by relocating the existing railroad right-of-way out of downtown areas.

Three main corridors for the move were proposed in

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Navy talks about plan for county

BY BENNIE SHALLBETTER Staff Writer

The Navy could be coming to Hancock County to do more than maneuvers. They may soon be calling the county home. Commander Pat Butler and ENCM Kenneth Kopeso from SEALS Boat Unit 22 at Stennis Space Center and other planners met with supervisors on Wednesday to discuss the possibility of locating up to 90 units of military housing in the county, 30 units by 2005 and up to 60 more later.

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Bay-W'land schools consider drug testing

BY BENNIE SHALLBETTER **Staff Writer**

not right away decided District already March meeting on Monday.

School Superintendent Kim Stasny brought up the

possibility, but most board members said they preferred to use funds for more pro-Is mandatory drug testing active measures such as coming to the Bay-Waveland educational programs. The School District? Probably Hancock County School school board members at the mandatory drug testing in it's high school and middle

TESTING--PAGE 7A

Bay P.D.'s Cox, Dar earn statewide 'Top Dog' status

BY SHANNON JENKINS **Staff Writer**

The Bay St. Louis Police Department K-9 team recently achieved the status of "Top Dog" in Mississippi.

The team, composed of Sgt. Paul K. Cox Jr. and police service dog K-9 Dar, won the overall award at the K-9 Certification Trials in Brookhaven during the week of March 10. Cox and Dar had accumulated a total of 865.51 points out of a possible 900.00

points during the week-long competi-

"This really and truly would not be possible without the support from the city and my fellow officers," Cox said. "To be named 'Top Dog' is an honor for Dar, myself and the city."

The K-9 team competed with 22 other teams from across the state in the certification in vehicle narcotics detection and finished third overall

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Louis Police Chlef Frank McNell, left, Sgt. Paul Cox Jr. and Dar showcase several awards the department recently received at certification trial in Brookhaven.

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Dozens gathered yesterday for a St. Joseph's Altar at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Koerner at Paradise Lane in Bay St. Louis. The event marked the 38th year the couple has hosted a St. Joseph's Altar for the public.

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Governor Musgrove raises Mississippi threat level

Yesterday. Governor

Ronnie Musgrove raised Mississippi's threat level to Orange, or high alert, in response to the similar action taken yesterday by President George Bush.

Following an early mornmeeting $\quad ext{of} \quad ext{the}$ Homeland Security Council, Musgrove also issued a state of emergency to help ensure the safety of the people of Mississippi.

An executive order has been issued as well to provide for the possible deployof Mississippi National Guard personnel to key points around the state., including Grand Gulf and ports along the Mississippi River and Gulf

"I want to assure everyone that we, are prepared," said Musgrove. "While there is no, specific information at this time relating to a threat against Mississippi, we can and will do everything necessary to protect our people."

The security briefing of the Mississippi Homeland Security Council was held to-

BY ELLIS C. CUEVAS

Publisher Emeritus

In the wee hours of

Patrolman Jeremy Skinner

conducted a traffic stop that

resulted in the arrest of a

suspect for possession of a controlled substance (crack

cocaine), according to Chief

around 12:45 a.m. at Highway 90 and Old

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pieces of crack cocaine were

located on the passenger

seat of the vehicle. In the

course of the investigation it

was determined that the

suspect swallowed six rocks

"The traffic stop occurred

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Jimmy Varnell.

report said.

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Traffic stop leads to

W'land crack arrest

THE SEA COAST ECHO outline again the state's people of Mississippi to preparedness for any threat remember not only those scenario.

> The council includes representatives from federal, state and local govern-

'We will continue to work with our federal and local law enforcement partners to ensure communication and coordination of any relevent security information," said Musgrove. "Everyone should continue to remain vigilant and alert."

Following the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001, Musgrove hosted a summit on domestic preparedness and established an Incident Command System by executive order, under which all state and local emergency personnel utilize common terminology, integrated communications, incident action, plans, unified command and management of resources during emergencies. A series of bioterrorism exercises has been held statewide, and a conference for the state's emergency responders is currently underway in

Philadelphia, Mississippi. Musgrove called on the

moned, to Hancock Medical

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Assisting Skinner was

Waveland Municipal Court

has been scheduled for April

Patrolman Eddie Peterson.

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who are working to protect the public safety here at home, but for those serving on the front lines of the nation's war against terror-

I ask all Mississippians to join me in support of our U.S. armed forces, including more than 4,500 Mississippi Guard and National Reserve members who may be put in harm's way," "Our Musgrove said. prayers are with the President, our troops, and their families.'

For more information on the state and federal threat levels and how to prepare for different scenarios, visit the state's homeland security website at www.homelandsecurity.ms.gov.

Legion to host security forum

THE SEA COAST ECHO American Legion Unit will sponsor a

"Community Security Forum" on March 31, 2003, at 6:00 p.m. at the Post Home on Green Meadow

Speakers have been invited from Keesler and the National Guard, as well as Fire Department, and Police Departments.

Congressman Gene Taylor has also been invited. Many companies are being asked to set up information booths to provide security material.

Door prized will be given and dinner will be served.



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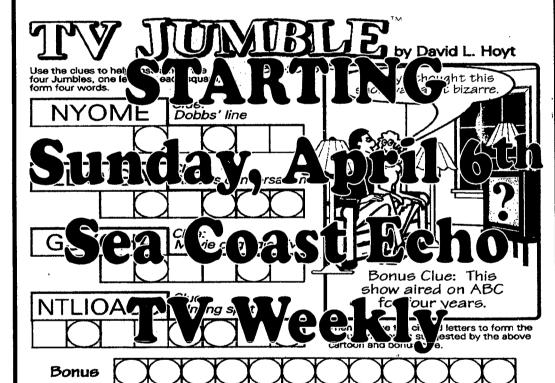
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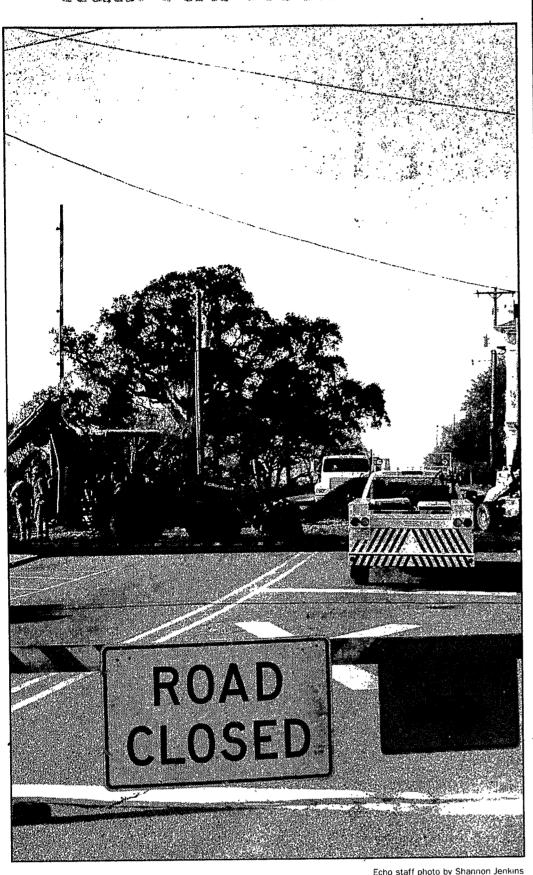
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Railroad Roadblock



The railroad crossing at Beach Blvd. and Court St. in Bay St. Louis is blocked to traffic Wednesday as CSX employees work to replace part of the track. The crossing is

H.C. Little League to host open house

THE SEA COAST ECHO Hancock County Little League Girls Fastpitch Softball at Lakeshore Field will host an open house at the field located next to Elementary Gulfview School on Saturday March 22 from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m.

All registered players and their families, or anyone interested in playing, coaching or umpiring, are invited to tour the facilities, meet the staff and learn about the International Little League organization.

Complimentary hot dogs and soft drinks will be served and there will be softball activities available for the children. This will also be the deadline to submit volunteer applications for adult coaches and umpires as the league prepares for the draft, which will be held on Saturday April 5th.

For more information call Herb at 467-1291.

Hancock **Middle Dance** Team to sponsor camp

The Hancock Middle School Dance Team is sponsoring a one day dance camp for 2nd - 8th grade girls on Saturday, March 22, from 8:30a.m. - 1:00p.m. at the HMS gym. Campers will perform at the Hancock High School Spring Review in May. Cost is \$20. Special discounts are available for larger families and school employees. Contact Ursela Whitehead, 467-1889 for more information.

Class Schedule for March GLASSWARE - Saturday, March 22, 2003, 2-4 p.m. Take beads and weave it around glassware to add a

creative and fun accent to a plain object. Instructor: Kristen Meehan WINE GLASS CHARMS - Saturday, March 28, 2003, 2 - 4 p.m.

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Sheriff's officers assist MDC in making arrests

scheduled to be closed through Friday."

BY ELLIS C. CUEVAS **Publisher Emeritus**

Hancock County sheriff's assisted officers Mississippi Department of Corrections (MDC) in rounding up two persons for whom MDC had warrants, Sheriff Steve Garber said last week.

On Friday, Investigator Matt Barnett, Capt. Joe Herrin, Deputy Kent Malley and Deputy Push Phillips were assisting MDC serving a warrant on Anthony Joseph Bergnarelli, 29, on Billie Green Road, Garber

"While serving the war-rant with MDC Officer Bill Moran, officers noticed several vehicles in the yard. In running a check on the vehicles, one was discovered as reported stolen a month ago in Diamondhead," Barnett

Barnett continued, "It was revealed, while making an inventory of the vehicle, stolen golf equipment

reported in another theft at Diamondhead was in the trunk."

Officers also found Bergnarelli had illegal possession of a prescription drug, Barnett added.

The investigator reported the investigation is still continuing in the case.

On Friday photos of an escapee was shown by MDC to the department, Chief Investigator Bob Lambert

Barnett said on Sunday, while he was purchasing gas at a county store, he recoganized a suspect being sought by MDC as he walked into the store.

Barnett stated, "Shane Lawrence, 30, of Wiggins, who was wanted as an escapee, was placed under arrest and is being held for MDC in the Hancock County Criminal Justice Facility.

"There was also an outstanding warrant for Lawerence for trespassing."

Southern Miss guitarist takes first prize in state

Kelly Roth, a Bay St. Louis native and student at the University of Southern Mississippi, took first-prize honors and an award of \$600 at the National Federation of Music Clubs Competition in Jackson. A student of Professor John DeChiaro in the School of Music, Roth competed Myra and Earl Roth.

against other guitarists and string players from across the state. Roth has won many honors during his four years at USM and has been a recipient of the Elmo and Mary Glenn Harrison Guitar scholarship at Southern Miss for the past four years. He is the son of





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Cuevas' Quotes

by Ellis C. Cuevas Publisher Emeritus

Food pantry gets busy for spring, Lumber Yard hosts After Hours

usv as a bee in is the story of the Hancock County Food Pantry.

On Monday, I stopped by the Food Pantry and spoke with Mrs. Evelyn Johnson, who reported business was very good.

She gave an example of Tuesday, March 11, when the food pantry had assisted 31 families, with a total of 101 people.

So, that averages out to 10 families per hour seeking assistance from the Monday through Friday

food pantry. Its regular are hours from 9 a.m. noon, Monday through Friday.

What this of means, course, is the supplies at food the pantry need be replaced.

I realize there are m a n v churches, individuals, organizations, businesses, groups, etc., who donate to the food pantry, and

this is very good. Hopefully, many more will consider helping

The Hancock County Food Pantry is an all-volunteer organization that brings together folks from several area churches who take turns in handling the needs of deserving per-

Yet there is a need for the spring time more food donations. cash donations, etc., to make up for the increased numbers of people in need.

Being involved with the food pantry since its inception, Mrs. Johnson recalls there were times when only six or eight families would be served in a day.

If you would like further information, give the food pantry a call between 9 a.m. to noon, at 228-467-

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> sor is ATK Thiokol Propulsion from the John C. Stennis Space Center.

I have been told it will be a great After Hours, and as a special treat, several artists will be on hand to give demonstrations of their various abilities.

I hope to see you at the After Hours this evening.

25 Russians attending Alcorn

ew Mississippians

- certainly pot one — knew that at least 25 Russians are attending Alcorn State University, the historically black, land grant institution nestled in the woods near Lorman.

The Russo-Alcorn State connection surprisingly has been growing ever since 1998 when a Russian tennis player was recruited via the Internet by the Braves' tennis coach.

Russkys at Alcorn was from a front page story last week in the New York Times which had sent a reporter to the isolated school, no doubt drawn both by the international and racial diversity in an unlikely place where diversity is a scarce commodity.

The Russians are among 281 white students at Alcorn, 8.3 percent of the entire student body.

That raises a vital Mississippi question: How does integration - the attendance of opposite-race students in Mississippi

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Eyes on Mississippi needed By Bill Minor black

student How I learned about the on the rolls of an all-white state university.

Fascinating as it is that several dozen students have come from far-off Russia to Alcorn, a state college I remember back in the 1960s you could only reach by driving your automobile over a cattle gap, black Mississippians are slowly mixing more and more with whites at the state's eight higher education institutions.

Some of the racial mixing at the higher education level is the result of implementation of the celebrated 1975 Ayers case. That law-

higher suit was brought by black plaintiffs to make institutions of higher learning in Mississippi comply with the 1964 Civil Rights Act and give open access for blacks to enroll at the traditional "white" institutions.

Unfortunately over the years, the original Ayers integration goal has been distorted by some black plaintiffs, into becoming one of only throwing more dollars at preserving the old system of separate "black" colleges which existed before the 1970s.

So far under an Ayers settlement decreed in 1997 by U.S. District Judge Neal Biggers, the Legislature was ordered to spend \$503 million over 17 years for construction, upgrading programs, and providing certain other incentives at the four black institutions, including recruitment of non-black students.

Some \$70 million has been appropriated thus far to beef up some professional programs at the black schools, the largest chunk at Jackson State University

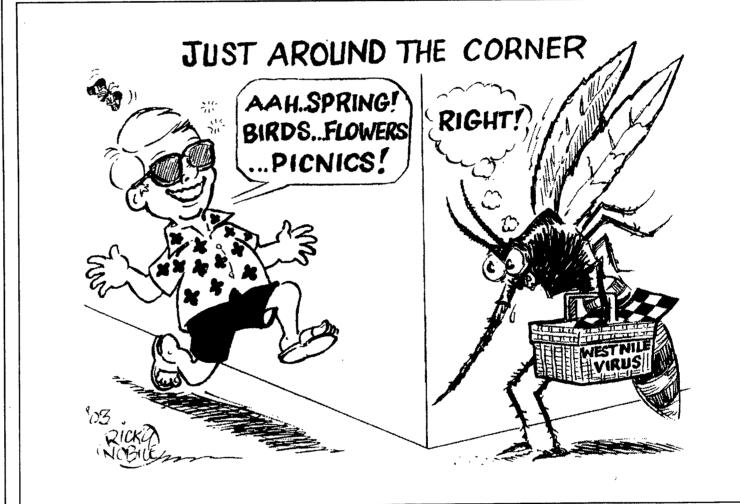
whose mission is to be an urban university.

It is certainly worthy of note that a January bulletin issued by the State College Board shows that since 1997, black enrollment at historically white institutions increased by 20.4 per cent, bringing the total black students in those schools to 10,385

More significant is that the number of blacks who have enrolled at the formerly white schools in the last five years is approximately the same number who went to black institutions in the same period. That fact undermines the theory that blacks much prefer the environment of schools where members of their race predominate.

The most notable growth of African-Americans has been at the University of Southern Mississippi (34 percent), but also significant gains were made at both Mississippi State and Ole Miss, the latter having perhaps the most aggressive recruitment policy.

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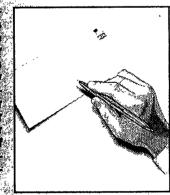
They worked as one unit not requiring us to duplicate test etc. Our small community has state of the art diagnostic equipment and trained caring staff, They made receiving a stent and pacemaker seem like a walk in the park, Take pride in our hospitals, staff, and doctors, they rank with the best.

Jo-Ann George Waveland

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Our letters policy

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TECHNICALITIES

BY PHIL BRYANT **State Auditor SCHOOLS**

Q May a school district retroactively pay a school secretary salary and benefits she would have received if the school district had correctly credited her years of experience at the original date of hire?

A The district may adjust her level of experience prospectively, but there is no

authority that would allow the district to award retroactive pay for work that has already been performed and for which an agreed upon compensation has already been provided. (Attorney General's Opinion to Logan dated November 8, 2002)

Q Can there be pro-rata deductions, such as 15minute increments, of an employee's leave time? If so, does this computation apply to both licensed and nonlicensed employees?

A Whether to permit incremental leave deductions for both licensed and nonlicensed school employees is within the discretion of the board as evidenced by the rules and regulations established for leave policies. (Attorney General's Opinion to Smith dated November 15, 2002)

Q May a school district delete from the payment of annual rentals under a developmental lease property that has been platted once roads and utilities have been constructed for that portion of the property?

A No. Under Section 29-3-1, adequate compensation must be received from the tenants for any use of the land other than use by the school district. (Attorney General's Opinion to Chaney dated November 25, 2002)

Q Does Section 37-9-14, (3) and (7) allow the superintendent authority to approve the payment of invoices for budgeted expenditures through his or her signature

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As the New York Times story on the Russian "invasion" at Alcorn State points out, recruitment of white students into the Lorman campus has been a hard-tocrack task given considerable impetus under the administration of President Clinton Bristow. Incidentally, he may not be much longer because he's a finalist for the presidency at Towson

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In the last three years the percentage of the state budget allotted to higher education and the funding per student has dropped the last three years, even falling below spending levels when Republican Kirk Fordice was governor.

Deepening the higher education funding dilemma is that average salaries of full-time faculty, which had been brought close to that of the other Southern Regional Education Board (SREB) states in FY 1995 and FY 1996, have lost considerable ground in recent years.

In FY 2000, the state appropriated \$6,321 per

full-time student. But with budget cuts ordered in 2001 the per-student funding dropped to \$5,791, and again with budget cuts in 2002, it fell to \$5,367. It is down to \$5,337 in the cur-

rent fiscal year. Meanwhile, the SREB average per-student funding has moved \$1,156 higher than Mississippi's. How can politicians say, "our college students are our greatest assets?"

Mississippi IHL faculty salaries fell \$3,800 below the SREB average in FY 2000, \$6,500 in 2002 and this year are to be \$7,225 below the SREB average.

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year, even with budget contingency funds thrown in. A quote in the New York Times article from one of

the Russians attending Alcorn State contained a message Mississippians need to take seriously about whether they are shortchanging higher education students in this state.

Said Alex Alexandrov of his attendance at Alcorn: "It's worse than the education we had in Russia, but it's America."

Can we take consolation "but it's in saying: Mississippi, and we can't do better?" Think about it.

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A Nothing in Section 63-7-19 authorizes the use of blinking, oscillating or rotating white lights for personal vehicles of volunteer firemen when responding to calls. (Attorney General's Opinion to Enlow dated January 3,

Q How many days may a

A Public employees who salary as reduced under a. are called for military duty Cafeteria Plan also be reduced must be paid for up to fifteen days per calendar year if called for such service on days the employee would otherwise be scheduled to work. For periods of military leave in excess of fifteen days, public employees are entitled to leave of absence without pay and no loss of time, annual leave, or ty),, I FUTA (unemployment efficiency rating. Health insurance and other benefits are suspended during the time of unpaid leave and reinitiated upon return to work. If a group insurance policy also covers the employee's family, the employee may, at his/her own expense, pay the premium necessary to contin-

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Technicalities

with the board approving his or her actions at its next board meeting or must the board approve the payments for budgeted expenditures prior to the invoices being paid?

A The school board must be allowed to reject or approve all claims before pay certificates are issued. Approval of the school district budget does not provide the school board the opportunity to make a determination of the legality on a specific claim that is presented for payment. Pay certificates may be issued by the superinwithout prior approval of the school board on the payment of specific claims in accordance with the exceptions that are set out in Section 37-9-14(7). (Attorney Opinion General's Henderson dated December 6,

Q Does a school district have any authority to pay for materials needed to create or make repairs to school bus turnarounds located on private property?

A There is no authority for a school district to bear the cost of maintenance work on a school bus turnaround, except to the extent that such work is performed on the driveways or identifier so that the records parking lots of district schools. (Attorney General's Opinion to Jacobs dated December 20, 2002)

Q May a school district donate school buses to another public entity?

A No. However, such transfers may be made to other governmental entities pursuant to the provisions of Section 31-713(m)(vi) without the need for advertising for competitive bids or placing the items for sale at public auction. The buses may be sold at a price which is agreed upon by both parties which may be for less than the market value of the buses. (Attorney General's Opinion to Stephens dated December 13, 2002)

COUNTIES Q If a tax exempt charitable or benevolent organization purchases real property after January 1, the date on which the tax lien attaches, is the tax still due and may the county refund the portion of taxes for the part of the year after the

date of purchase? A Section 27-35-3 fixes the date on which the tax lien attaches stating that all taxable real property situated in the state acquired or held by any person before January I of each year ... shall be assessed and taxes thereon paid for the ensuing year. Therefore, the taxes assessed based on the tax lien date of January I remain due and payable. Further, there is no provision for taxes to be reimbursed pro rata for fractional parts of a tax year after the property is acquired by a charitable or benevolent organization. (Attorney General's Opinion to Holhmon dated December 6,

Q When a county has an interlocal agreement with a municipality for the collection of taxes, can the county sell for taxes municipal property that has a lien against it for cleaning pursuant to Section 21-19-

A Property to be sold pursuant to Section 21-19-11, for costs and expenses of cleaning property, may be sold by the county for the benefit of the city pursuant to an interlocal agreement but may not be

included in the unified tax 9 issues of Technicalities. sale. (Attorney General's Opinion to Beam dated December 6, 2002)

Q Can the board of supervisors close a municipal street?

A We find no authority which empowers a county to abandon a municipal street or to compel a municipality to close a dedicated street within the municipal corporate limits. (Attorney General's Opinion to Palmer dated December 20,

Q Must a member of the board of supervisors obtain prior approval of the board in order to be reimbursed for out of state travel?.

A Yes. At a minimun the minutes must name the supervisor, where he is traveling and his mode of transportation; in addition the minutes should state dollar limitations and purpose of travel. (Attorney General's Opinion to Chamberlin dated December 20,2002)

Q Must a book and page number as specified in Section 89-5-33 be used for electronically filed documents?

Å The book and page number specified in Section 89-5-'33 is intended to be a unique are readily accessible to the general public. If the records are stored electronically and there is therefore no book and page, they may be assigned a properly indexed unique identifier which will make them readily accessible to the general public. (Attorney General's Opinion to McAdams dated January 10, 2003)

Q What is the deadline for chancery and circuit clerks to pay to the county any portion of 2002 fees due the county and to file an Annual Financial Report with the State Auditors Office and the Public Employees Retirement

A April 15, 2003. (§§9-143, 9-145)

MUNICIPALITIES

Q Must municipal board meetings be open to the pub-A Yes, except for executive

sessions limited to the subjects listed in Section 2541-7, such as personnel matters and liti-

Q Does the "Open Records" make all municipal records open to the public?

A No. Section 25-6 1 -11 makes clear that records made confidential by law are not made public by the open records laws. Some exceptions, such as personnel records, are listed under the cross references listed as footnotes to this

Q Must approved claims be paid in the order of their entry in the Section 21-39-7 claims

docket? A Yes. (§ 21-39-9)

Q May a municipality invest in the stock market?

A No. Section 21-33-323 limits investments to direct obligations of the federal government, State of Mississippi, and certain Mississippi local governing authorities; municipal, depository certificates of deposits and repurchase agreements; and certificates of deposit issued by state depositories in the municipality. Also, Section 183 of the Mississippi Constitution prohibits subscription to capital stock.

GENERAL NOTE: The following question modifies previous questions in the 2002-11 and 2002when responding to calls?

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Diamondhead resident qualifies as candidate for House District 95

Upshaw, a resident of Diamondhead, qualified Republican candidate for House District 95, which includes Gulfport, Orange Grove, Harrison and Hancock counties in the August primary.

Upshaw obtained her undergraduate degree in at accounting University of Mississippi in 1981 and is a 1984 graduate of the University of Mississippi School of Law.

She has been in private practice for two years in Gulfport, prior to opening her office she worked for Hopkins, Crowley, Bagwell & Upshaw, PLLC for 13 years where she was a partner for eight years. She is also a licensed real estate broker.

She said that "as a voice for the people, I will work to improve the image of our great state, further educa-

"As a voice for the people, I will work to improve the image of our great state, further educational and work opportunities and promote fiscal responsibility."

Jessica S. Upshaw, Republican candidate for House District 95

DuPont names Diamondhead woman

Special Olympics Volunteer of Year

tional and work opportunities, and promote fiscal responsibility."

Upshaw is involved in many community organizations, including Business Advisor Council which is part of the National Republican Congressional Committee, Gulf Coast Chamber of Commerce, Leadership Gulf Coast, Rotary Club of Gulfport, Gulfport Yacht Club, Great Southern Club, Gulf Coast

Association, Carnival Hancock and Harrison County Republican Clubs, and Harrison County Republican Women. She First United attends Methodist Church, Gulfport and Diamondhead Community Church.

Upshaw is a member of numerous professional organizations including Supreme Court Historical Society and American Inns of Court.



JESSICA S. UPSHAW

She has received honors in her profession including, Marquis Who's Who in American Law, Marquis Who's Who in the World, International Who's Who of Professionals 2000, and Who's Who in America.

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Recognition

Peterson announces his candidacy for Hancock Co. sheriff

Ronald A. (Ronnie)
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Waveland has announced his candidacy for Hancock County sheriff in the 2003 elections.

Peterson, a Democrat, is a security investigator at Casino Magic, Bay St.

Peterson is married to Bonnie Lee Peterson and is the father of Ronald A. Peterson, II and Wendy Lynne Myrick.

He is a native of Bay St. Louis and now resides in Waveland.

He is a graduate of Bay High and attended Pearl River Junior College and spent four years in the United States Marine Corps and is a Vietnam veteran. Peterson served as

Hancock County sheriff for 5 terms, 1980 to 2000. making $_{
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Beth Matthews recognized as outstanding community volunteer

Elizabeth Matthews Diamondhead named Olympics Area Volunteer of

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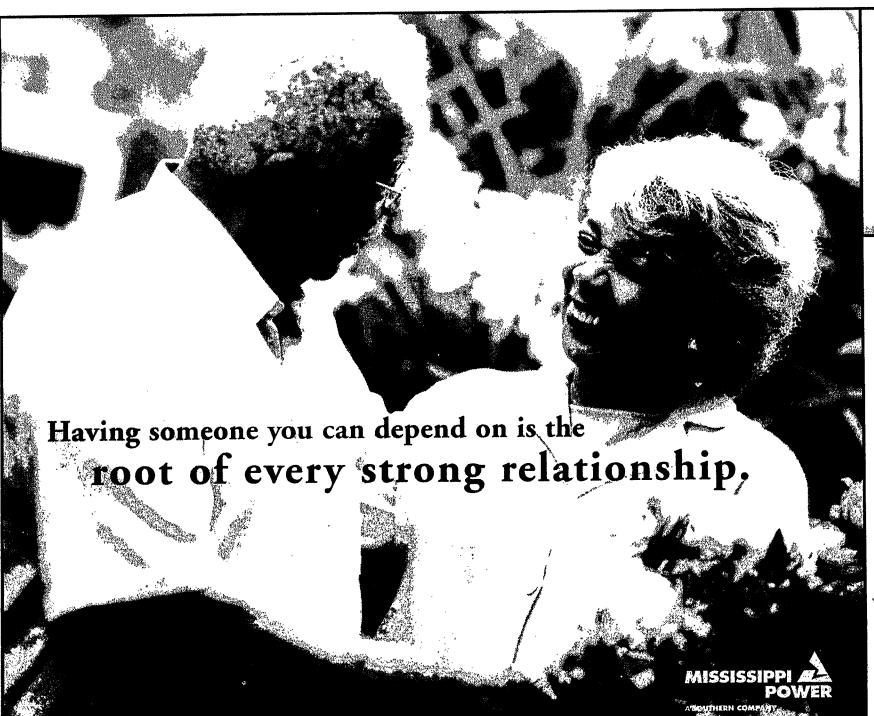
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Stasny suggested a program that would include members of athletic teams. Board attorney Ronnie Artigues said that if athletes were required to undergo drug testing than all students involved in extracurricular activities would have to be included. There was also talk of testing all students who drive a vehicle to school or employees who make a claim to worker's comp as a result of an accident.

Board secretary Dr. Sherry Ponder said she had recently read an article about drug testing in schools and was concerned about the complications that such a program would bring about. And other than pointing a finger at students who tested positive, she said she didn't know what the testing would accomplish. A more proactive approach would accomplish more, she said.

Board president Richard Flowers said he thought that drugs were a problem in the schools, and a problem that was not going to go away, with drug testing or without it. Initial testing would cost from \$37 to \$40 per student, said Stasny. with re-testing for conformation of positive results running \$125 per student. When the Hancock County District implemented a testing policy, all involved students were tested the first year and then a portion of the group was tested in following years, she said.

No definite decision was reached but board members declined to have a special

speaker on the subject at the next meeting, saying there was not enough interest. They did indicate that they may check into the possibility of testing in relation to workman's comp claims.

In other business: The board decided to hold the issue of raising tuition for out of district students in abeyance for 30 days to allow for notification of parents. A tuition of \$300 per student was set ten years ago, said Flowers and has never been raised. New tuition prices, which would be implemented in the next school year, would be \$500

per student. • Ponder said she had concerns that the free summer lunch program is not reaching a wide enough population because the program is held only at Bay

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Middle School. Ponder said she was concerned that children from Waveland and those living below Hwy. 90 may not be benefiting from the program. She asked the board to look into the issue.

 The board voted to send letters of congratulations to the girls on the Bay High Basketball team recognizing their participation in the state championship. The board is also checking into the possibility of recognition rings for the team members.

 The board approved: The purchase of a new \$55,000 bus to be used for extracurricular activities.

Hiring Eric Ross to complete designs and specs for a sound and lighting project at the high school auditorium preliminary specs estimate the project cost at around \$110,000.

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preliminary plans, with option one following closely along the I-10 corridor; option 2 following about four miles north of the I-10 corridor; and option 3 much further north, falling just south of DeSoto National Forest.

Preliminary drawings indicate that the new line would turn to the south through Hancock County to meet up with the current line, though planners could not say exactly where this north-south corridor might be located.

safety and economic growth as prime reasons for considering the move. The new rail would either be elevated over existing roads or similar cost-per-mile of date.

existing roads would pass over rail crossings, planners

When Supervisors asked about existing rail users, such as Alcan Cable, Port Bienville and others, planners said one option was compensation to these rail users and a move to where they could access rail serv-

They emphasized that the proposed routes were used mainly for cost planning at this point in the project.

Cost estimates for the I-Planners cited expanded 10 corridor route are, option one, \$2.7 billion, a more costly price-per-mile of track; option 2, 1.8 billion; and option 3, \$2.4 billion, a

track as option 2, but requiring more miles of track.

Funding for the project would come from joint state and federal funding, planners said. The target finish date for planning is two years, but a lot stands in the way. The project would have to satisfy environmental concerns across the state, as any new route would pass through many environmentally sensitive areas, affecting vegetation and wildlife.

But environmental concerns are just one obstacle. Right-of-way acquisition across the state would also have to be addressed. Construction estimates slate a nine-year completion

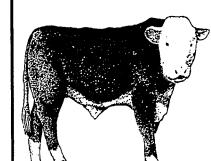
CSX itself would take no part in the proposed project,

but planners would have to satisfy the company's needs to gain their approval for any new route, presenters said. Public meetings have

already been held in many other locations on the issue, and a new series of public meetings is expected to be held again in June. Planners could not say if any would be held in Hancock County, but said more detailed plans would be available at that time. A meeting was Wednesday evening in Perkinston at Gulf Coast Mississippi Community College.



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Navy -- local housing

A September 2004 date is Florida. Advertisement for preliminary qualifications for the project has begun in the Commerce Business Daily and will be a standard military contract, planners said.

The units, individual houses - duplexes or other would house families serving the Navy at Stennis Space Center and be built in a community style, said planners, hopefully with a park and other facilities. Units not used by the military would be available for rent to local residents.

The project would be a

public/private venture in ments from Texas to be built by a private devel-

location.

In other Hancock Board

• Supervisors voted to request that a proposed SEALs training operation encompassing 5,200 acres along the Pearl River, be moved into Louisiana.

• Building Official Willie Gavney will retire on April

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• Starting April 1, the Mississippi Department of Motor Vehicles will be open an extra day in Hancock County. The office, located at the Hancock County Civic Center, will now be open on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays.

• Circuit Clerk Pam Metzler asked supervisors to approve a request to be sent to the Justice Department asking for the closure of two voting precincts, Central School and Hancock North Central.

• Supervisors asked that the sheriff's department provide trustees to pick up trash along county roads.

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> Availability of wastewater treatment for the proposed project, which could be located in the Kiln area, is a key element in ensuring that the development comes to Hancock County. Butler and Kopcso both said Hancock is the preferred

of Supervisors business:

with a score of 97.5 out of 100. In the indoor narcotics detection competition, the team once again scored 97.5 out of 100 and finished in third place. Cox and Dar received a second place team award for teaming up with the Hancock County Sheriff's Department K-9

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With the community's

help," said Anderson, "we

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ute to his handler who has spent numerous hours in training," said Bay St. Louis Police Chief Frank McNeil.

The K-9 team has earned invitations from the United States Police Association Region 26 to represent the state and city in both the U.S.P.C.A Detector Dog Nationals in May in Minnesota and the Patrol Dog 1 Nationals in October in New Jersey.The Regional K-9 Certification Trials will be held in Bay St. Louis.

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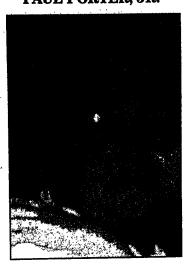
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ANN BILLIOT PAUL PORTER, JR.



ANN BILLIOT Ann "Maw Maw" Billiot, age 57, died Friday, March 2003 in Mississippi.

Mrs. Billiot was a native of Colorado and was a resident of Kiln for the past 24 years. She was a homemak-

She was preceded in death by her mother, Mildred Evans; and her father, Jim Dunn.

Survivors included her husband, Phillip Billiot, Kiln; two daughters, Lara Jo Wall, California, and Melynie Tapp, Kiln; one son. Rev. Jimmy Turnbough, Kiln; 12 grandchildren; and by many other family members and friends. She will be sadly missed.

Visitation was held on Monday, March 17, 2003 at Riemann Funeral Home. Bay St. Louis. The service were held Tuesday, March 18, 2003 in the funeral home chapel. Burial followed in Turtle Skin Cemetery in Hancock

Riemann Funeral Home, 229 Highway 90 East, Bay St. Louis were in charge of arrangements.



PAUL PORTER, JR.

Paul Edward Porter, Jr., 76, was called home to be with His Lord, Sunday, March 16, 2003.

Edward was born and raised in Bay St. Louis, Ms. He was the only child of Paul "Pete" Edward Porter, Sr. and mother, Lucille Osoinach Porter, both preceded him in death.

The family owned and operated Porter's Service Station and Pontiac Agency on Ulman Ave. in Bay St. Louis.

Survivors include his wife, Ann Weston Porter, three daughters and a son. Sue and Vance Rutan of Winston - Salem, N.C.; Sally and Mike Cassagne of Long Beach, Ms.; June and Woody LaFontaine of Gardendale, AL. and Ed and Michele Porter III of Brandon, Ms.

Edward and Ann were called by the Lord to work with mentally and physically handicapped children and adults. They served for 9 1/2 years at the Ala. Baptist Children's Home in Mobile, Al. In 1986 they stepped out on faith and established The Mustard Seed, Inc. for adults in Theodore, AL., where they served 16 years. They have lived with over 70 of other

people's children. There will be two memo-

rial services. Sunday, March 23, at 2:30 p.m. at the First Church, Baptist Gardendale, AL. for friends and family there. And a service will be held at the Church of the Good Shepherd in Pass Christian, Ms. on Saturday, April 26 at 3 p.m. for friends and fami-

ly on the coast. The family request no flowers please. They would like all memorials sent to Ala. Baptist Children's Home & Family Ministries, 361767, Box P.O. Birmingham, AL. 35636-

Obituaries Area schools encouraged to become NASA Explorers to enhance Science, Math and Technology Instruction

THE SEA COAST ECHO This summer, NASA is introducing an exciting educational opportunity for

schools across the country - NASA Explorer Schools. Designed to meet the educational needs of students in grades 5-8, this national program will enable educators from five schools selected from the Stennis Space Center service area to develop an ongoing partner-ship with NASA to enhance instruction.

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Schools, teachers, administrators, students and their families will benefit from the Explorer Schools pro-

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One purpose of NASA Explorer Schools is to increase student interest in science, math and technology, and to educate them about careers in these fields.

Explorer School students will participate in NASA programs enriched in science, math, and technology experiences and have access to NASA research and resources. These students' families will also participate in the program through online learning activities.

Besides being identified as a NASA Explorer School and partnering with NASA, schools are eligible to receive a grant of up to \$10,000 to help implement their action plan.

The Explorer Schools program supports NASA's mission to inspire the next generation of explorers and will enrich learning experiences for students across

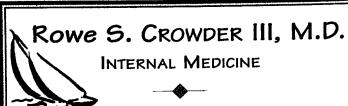
April 4, 2003, is the deadline for applications for NASA Explorer Schools. Applications and eligibility requirements are online at http://explorerschools.nasa. <http://explorerschools.nasa.gov/>.



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Brian Adam, the newly appointed Director of the Hancock County Emergency Management Agency was the featured speaker during the Monthly Dutch Lunch in the Kiln last week, sponsored by the Hancock Chamber of Adam is a County Commerce. career fire official with 19 years experience in the field. Formerly, he was the Assistant Fire Chief for the City of Bay St. Louis. In his current position with the county, he serves two roles as Director of Civil Defense and Fire Coordinator. "This is why the County has merged the two programs into one agency now known as the Hancock County

Emergency Management Agency," said Adam. Over the last few weeks, Adam said he has been busy meeting with local officials and members of the volunteer fire departments to set priorities for the year.

"One thing is clear," he said, "we must work together with the communities throughout the county to do what we can to lower insurance rates." When a community has a 10 rating, the type of insurance coverage you can obtain is extremely Lauly limited, noted Hancock Peterson,

Kiln. She also noted that when a community has lower ratings, there are more insurance options available at lower rates.

Adam said there is a list of things that can be done to accomplish this goal, including increasing manpower obtaining quality equipment. "All of these things and more can influence the ratings, which can lead to either lower or higher insurance rates for the citizens of our county," he 3345 said.

Adam encouraged com munity leaders to provide leadership to support the volunteer fire departments to help increase awareness. raise funds and provide volunteer support. "We need to get more people involved,"

Hancock County has two forms of fire service and protection: career and volunteer. Bay St. Louis, Waveland Diamondhead have career fire departments. The other parts of the county are divided into eight districts, served by volunteer fire departments. Oftentimes, these departments are a hub of activity for the community, serving as a meeting place for local groups

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Dr. Victoria Tackett, is a psychotherapist, visual artist and educator who studied studio arts at The Art Center College of Design in California, and has over 25 years experience teaching practical ways to access and utilize personal creative

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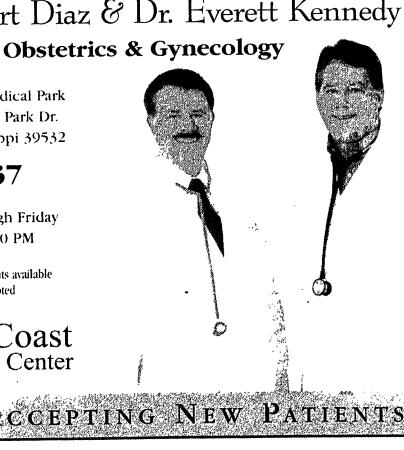
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BUSINESS NEWS

Hancock Chamber's Regional Coffee Call to feature economic impact of Stennis Space Center

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Community leaders from a two state area will join together to host a Regional Coffee Call in Hancock County at Casino Magic Bay St. Louis on Wednesday, March 26 from 7:30 a.m-9 p.m.

"This is an excellent opportunity for Hancock County to showcase our area to community leaders media Mississippi and Louisiana," said John P. Baxter, Vice President of Hancock Bank and President of the Hancock Chamber.

The event is being hosted by Partners for Stennis and co-sponsored Hancock County Chamber Commerce, Chamber, Partners for Pearl River County, the Slidell Chamber and the Jackson

County Chamber. It will feature the new director of Stennis Space Center (SSC) Bill Parsons and Admiral Thomas Q. Commander, Donaldson, Naval Meteorology and Oceanography Command. During the Coffee Call, findings will be released on the economic impact of SSC on the regional economy and the vision for the future.

reservations Advance should be made by calling the Hancock Chamber at 228-467-9048.

In the Spotlight Relay for Life in the

Fight Against Cancer Friday, May 2, 2003 at the Hancock Medical Center Walking Track

Cancer touches everyone. In 2002, nearly 14,400 cancer cases are expected to be diagnosed in Mississippi. In Hancock County, it is hitting us too through prostate cancer, lung cancer, breast cancer and colon cancer. You can make a difference in the fight against cancer by participating in the Annual Relay for Life in Hancock County.

This year, the event is being chaired by Chamber David Board Member, Mayley, co-owner of Pest Control Specialists. He wants to exceed the goals by recruiting 60 teams to participate. Mayley said response to the event is great, and his goal is to find a way for everyone to participate.

"As I talk to business owners and individuals in the community, I am finding want to participate but just don't have the manpower to sponsor a team on their own," he said. Mayley suggests forming "Chamber

Members Teams. A team normally consists of 10 members and each member on average raises \$100. If you would like to sponsor a team or be part of "Chamber Members Team," contact Janie Pierson at 896-7024 or David Mayley at 467-4336.

The American Cancer Society, a member of the Hancock Chamber, is the nationwide, communitybased, voluntary health organization dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by preventing cancer, saving lives and diminishing suffering from cancer, through research, education, advocacy and service.

To find out more: www.cancer.org.

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8am Diamondhead Business & Professional Association(DBPA)

5pm DBPA Business After Hours at Whitney Bank Sunday, March 30

3pm-8:30pm Celebrity Chefs Fest to benefit OLA & Bay Catholic

All meetings and events are subject to change. Please contact the Chamber Office to confirm date, time and place.

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New center to study and promote tourism, economic and development research

Center for Tourism and 2010. Development Economic Research (CENTED), the University of Southern Mississippi has positioned itself to take the lead in research, service and education for one of the world,s fastest-growing industries.

"The importance of tourism in the state of Mississippi cannot be overstated," said center Director Tony Henthorne, a professor of marketing and director of the Institute for Service Excellence at Southern Miss. "Currently, tourism is the second-largest service sector employer in the state, number of the Mississippi citizens employed in the industry is sure to increase."

Located on the Gulf Coast, the heart of the gaming industry in Mississippi, CENTED will strive to improve the tourism product, increase the benefits of the tourism industry and foster an understanding of the role tourism plays in economic development.

Both here in the United States and around the world, the travel and tourism industry is an engine for economic development.

Therefore, while reporting to the provost of the USM Gulf Park campus, CENTED will extend its reach regionally, nationally and globally, university officials said.

"CENTED positions Southern Miss to lead the way in examining the relationship between the entire tourism industry and longterm economic development -- not just along the coast of Mississippi, but worldwide" Gulf Coast Provost Tim Hudson said.

In 2000 alone, the travel and tourism industry employed more than 18 million people in the United States at an annual payroll of \$259 billion, making it the second-largest employer in the nation. Worldwide, tourism is estimated to employ more than 200 million people, both directly university's Master's

During the last 10 years, world tourism has increased more than 65 percent and tourism in the Caribbean region has grown 100 percent during the same period. CENTED will act as a central repository and resource base for data relating to the tourism industry, Henthorne said.

In Mississippi, the tourism industry has grown even more dramatically, in large part because of gaming. Before 1992, when casinos first appeared in Biloxi, that city attracted approximately one million visitors a year. Eight years after the advent of gaming, Biloxi tourism served more than million visitors. Currently, gaming revenues comprise approximately 44 percent of all state tourism and recreation income.

But until now, the gaming industry has "been lacking a serious research center," said Beverly Martin, executive director of the Coast Gulf Gaming Association.

"USM has done research in the past -- a study for the state Legislature on the impact of gaming - so apparently they are well versed and articulate on the issues," she said. "We look forward to utilizing this local research center with future projects."

All told, Mississippi tourism generated \$6.1 billion in 2000, which exceeded the \$5.6 billion from the fiscal previous Employing almost 100,000 Mississippians, the tourism industry is the state's second-largest service sector employer.

"CENTED was created, in part," Henthorne said, "to help get out the word regarding this vital sector. As Mississippi's tourism image and reach continues to grow and expand beyond borders, so will CENTED's."

Although CENTED is a nonacademic program, it will work closely with the

With the creation of the lion new jobs anticipated by degree program to develop a our students an opportunity to enlist at least 25 students in this program.

Hudson said that since he assumed the role of Gulf Hudson said. Coast provost last July, he has been working hard to find ways in which Southern Miss can be more directly involved in meeting the needs of the community and contributing to economic development.

"CENTED will be a bridge to one of our major

THE SEA COAST ECHO and indirectly, with 5.5 mil- Economic Development industries while providing specialized tourism track to engage in meaningful and involve students in research. The plan is for research projects. Within CENTED to become selfthree years, CENTED aims supporting through competitive research contracts and training programs within the next three to five years,"

Robert Rohrlack Jr., executive director of the Mississippi Development Authority and a USM alumnus, said Mississippi,s network of colleges and universities is instrumental in helping the MDA pursue fresh economic development opportunities for the state.

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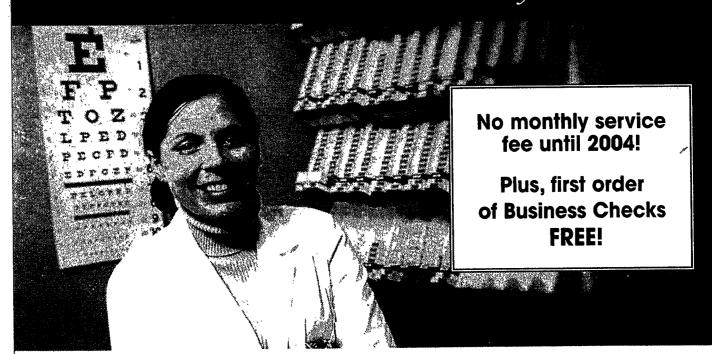
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Navy wants riverine, jungle live-fire training range at Stennis

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The Department of the Navy is evaluating the proposal of purchasing land located adjacent to National Aeronautical and Space Administration's (NASA) John C. Stennis Space Center (SCC) for a special operations riverine and jungle training range.

The Navy filed a Notice of Intent to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) with the Federal Register Mar. 3. The EIS will evaluate the potential impacts of the Navy's plan to purchase approximately 5,200 acres of privately owned property located within SSC's northwest acoustic buffer zone and use it as a riverine and jungle live-fire training range.

The proposed live-fire training range, tentatively named the Western Maneuver Area (WMA), would be managed and operated by Special Boat Team 22. SBT-22, also located at SSC, is the only Department of Defense command responsible for conducting special operations in riverine environments.

The criteria for selecting the proposed area are based upon real-world missions that SEALs (SEa, Air, Land), SWCC (Special Warfare Combatant-craft Crewman) and other special operations forces will be called upon to execute. The criteria include geomorphology, location, range size, possible development encroachment, and the accomplishment of training to meet real-world riverine special operations.

Users of this proposed live-fire range would shoot only short-range training ammunition (SRTA) or blanks up to .50 caliber. SRTA is a plastic bullet with a limited 700-meter flight profile. A safety perimeter would be established around training locations when SRTA ammuni- will be the priority custion is used.

SBT-22 has trained in and around the vicinity of the Pearl and Mikes Rivers, located within the WMA, for nearly 30 years. SBT-22's unique missions require realistic training conditions, which includes similar terrain and waterways and live-fire exercises prior to deployment to hostile areas.

This area contains some of the finest riverine training areas in the world and complements the worldclass facilities already established at SSC," said Cmdr. (SEAL) Patrick Butler, commanding officer of SBT-22. "The proposed range would eliminateextensive travel time and sig-

nificantly enhance the realism and effectiveness of our training."

To date, live-fire training requirements have been met by scheduling training cycles at Fort Knox, Ky., on a river that runs through an artillery impact area. There are numerous drawbacks to this location that could be remedied by a dedicated SBT-22 live-fire training range located in SCC northwest acoustic buffer zone.

SBT-22 units will still have to travel to Fort Knox to conduct live-fire lead ammunition training missions during the final stage of their training. The Fort Knox range does meet many of the Navy's requirements, but it comes at a demonstrated higher cost.

"Using the Fort Knox facility is more expensive in terms of time and money, and we're have less access since we are not primary users. Creating a live-fire range at SSC allows us greater access, flexibility, and realistic training, and also reduces the deployment strain on our people since they can train closer to said SBT-22 home," Command Master Chief, Master Chief Engineman (SEAL) Kenneth Kopcso. Kopcso has been at SBT-22 for more than three years.

The Navy's crawl, walk, run training philosophy conditions personnel to combat by using blank-fire, SRTA, and live (lead) rounds in stages. The WMA is proposed for both the blank and SRTA ammunition which will accomplish two-thirds of the training needed to teach personnel how to respond appropriately to adverse, real world situations. Ft. Knox will continue to be used for the 'run' or final combat preparation where lead ammunition is used.

"This proposed range would provide live-fire training in a realistic environment in which SBT-22 tomer," said Butler. "The proposed live-fire training range is the minimum land required to ensure public safety during live-fire training exercises and required training guidelines."

training "Typical includes riverine patrol and interdiction, insertion and extraction of SEALs in riverine environments, craft concealment and evasion tactics, and surveillance of enemy-held rivers and waterways," said Kopcso. "Live-Fire training is an invaluable part or our training that ultimately saves lives."

This EIS will evaluate the potential direct, indirect, and cumulative effects



A U.S. Navy SEAL team from Special Boat Team-22 conducts training exercises on the East Pearl River in the Stennis Space Center Buffer Zone on Monday. The team is trying to expand its operations in the zone to include riverine and jungle live-fire training.

this action might pose on the physical, biological, and socio-economic environments. These areas include existing land use and ownership, threatened and endangered species, water resources, noise and air quality; non-military land uses and access, cultural resources, transportation and waterway navigation, water and land contami-

"During the EIS process, federal, state and local agencies and interested persons are encouraged to provide any concerns and feedback, and even other alternatives to the proposed range'," said Bob Esenwein. Vice President of Turner, Collie and Braden Inc. 29419-90 10, Attn: Code ES (TCB) said. TCB has been 12/RD (Richard A. Davis), hired by the Navy to help telephone (843) 820-5589,

The public will have a m second opportunity to learn about the proposed project, ask questions and provide feedback at a public scoping meeting scheduled today from 4-7 p.m. at Slidell City Auditorium, in Slidell, La.

Interested persons who cannot attend either public meeting can contact the Navy by phone or in writing. Written comments must be postmarked by April 21, 2003, and should be mailed to: Special Warfare Training Range EIS, c/o Commanding Officer, Southern Division, Naval **Facilities** Engineering Command, P.O. 190010, North Box Charleston, South Carolina

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In order to address all relevant issues from interested persons in the draft EIS adequately, scoping comments must be received or postmarked by April 21, 2003.

Once the draft EIS is developed and distributed, the public will have another opportunity to submit comments and concerns, and to meet with Navy officials during a public hearing to be scheduled in August or September. After the public hearing, a final EIS will be submitted and the Navy will make a decision to take action on the proposed range, seek other alternatives, or do nothing.

"We are currently looking

will affect the recreational use and economic impact to those who own the land," said Esenwein. Currently, the land located in the WMA is privately owned and primarily used for recreation hunting and fishing. Some landowners in the northern part of the proposed training range use the land for mining.

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"Keeping public safety and the safety of SBT-22 personnel in mind, we will evaluate the possibilities of public and private use when live-fire training missions aren't being conducted," said Butler. "We want this to be a win-win for everyone. That's why the public's input is important to the process. We intend to do our best to be good stewards of both the environment and taxpavers' dollars



Annual Celebrity Chefs Fest will be held on Sunday, March 30 from 3pm-8:30pm in the new Gymnasium Building on the Campus of Our Lady Academy and Bay Catholic Elementary located on Union Street in Bay St. Louis. The event will benefit the building fund of Our Lady Academy (OLA) and Bay Catholic Elementary (BCE) School.

Top chefs from throughout the West Coast of Mississippi will participate in the culinary competeition: Annie,s, Bay City Grill, Casino Magic Bay St. Louis, Court Street Station, Chappy,s Seafood Restaurant, Drew,s, Favre,s One The Bayou, Jack,s Restaurant & Lounge, Jackie O,s, Long Beach Lookout, Kajun Kitchen, Rickey,s Bar & Grill, Southern Delights & Catering, Steve,s Marina, The Sycamore House, and 27th Ave. Bistro. The distinguished panel of judges include:

Bass, Mayor Eddie Favre, Mayor Tommy Longo and well-known individuals from the media. Local residents and visitors from Alabama and Louisiana are expected to support the event and enjoy an evening of delightful entertainment, featuring: The Jeb Stuart Trio, Bay Catholic Bovs. Choir, and The BCE Choir. The Silent and Live Auctions feature incredible items and services with over 200 items. There will be something for everyone ranging in value from \$15 to priceless. The priceless items include those made by the students and teachers which include everything from hand made quilts to pottery. During 2002, more than \$30,000 was raised to support the building fund for OLA and BCE. Tickets are \$25 per person, and can be purchased at the door or in advance by calling Debbie Vernon Scott at 228-467-7048, ext. 16. Ticket packages are also available Mayor Robert starting at \$75.

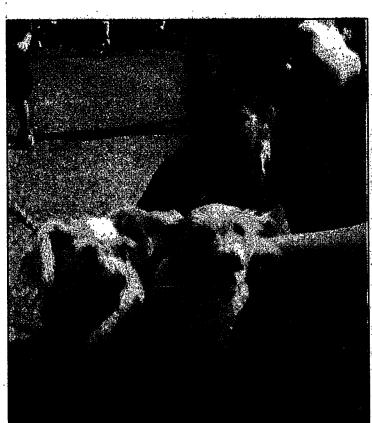


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Scenes from the Waveland Civic Association's St. Patrick's Parade Saturday, featuring Jerry West as Grand Marshal and Heather Burge as Colleen Echo staff photos by Bennie Shallbetter



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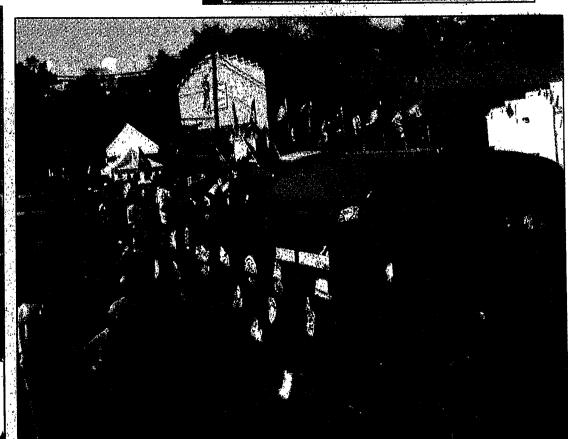












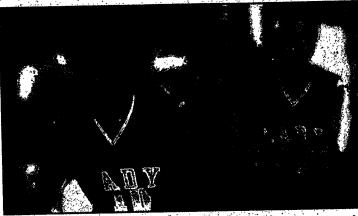
SPORTS

PRCC Lady Cats whipped in first round of championship

River Pearl The College's Community dreams of a first-ever women's national championship vanished Tuesday, as the Garden State Lady Broncbusters handed the Lady Wildcats a 91-76 "old fashioned whipping" in first-round action of the National **NJCAA** Championship Tournament here in the Bicentennial Center.

The Region XXIII champion Lady Wildcats, now 23-8 overall, dropped into the losers bracket and will play the loser of Wednesday's Wabash Valley (Ill.)-North Dakota contest at 2 p.m. Thursday. Garden City, 30-5, now heads into the winner's bracket takes on the Wabash-North Dakota winner at 4 p.m. Wednesday.

"We just took a good, oldfashioned, behind-the-shed whipping out there tonight,"



The Lady Cats fell 91-76 against the Lady Bronchusters in the first round of the national championships.

said PRCC head coach Ed Walley. "They beat us in all the phases of the game. If Garden City can continue to put up performances like this one the rest of the way through this tournament, they'll be beating a lot of folks."

The Lady.Wildcats led for most of the first half, despite the fact that leading scorer Audosha Kelly man-

aged only six points before the intermission.

"My shots just weren't falling," Kelley said. "It wasn't so much Garden City, but I couldn't seem to make on fall in so I tried to contribute in other ways defensively and passing the ball around."

Kelley, a two-year All-State, All-Region guard from Savannah, Ga.; score

four points in the opening four minutes, but hit a dry spell and didn't score again until she sank a pair of foul shots 2:16 before the inter-

"We were our own worst enemy," Walley continued. We turned it over left and right and missed easy shot after easy shot. It was just one of those days and we got whipped by a very good basketball team."

Kim Winfrey's threepoint play with 11:40 left in the first half to put PRCC up 11-9, but over the next eight minutes the scored was tied three times and the lead exchanged hands seven times before Jasmine Irving sank a pair of foul shots with 3:30 left before the intermission to put the Lady Brones up for good at 27-26 and kick off a 12-4 run to go up 37-30 at the

Garden City opened the

second half like gang busters, building its lead to 46-31 in the opening four minutes. At the midway point of the second half, they were up by 20. Pearl River managed to pull to within 13 points twice during the remaining time the last with 7:20 left when Monque Dale's bucket capped a 13-6 run. But it was all downhill from there. Irving's last bucket of the game gave Garden City its largest lead of the night 87-62 with 3:30 left.

"We did more to help beat ourselves than anything Garden City did," said Winfrey, a freshman from Oak Grove. "We just didn't take care of business like Coach Walley has taught us to do. They really aren't any better of a team than we are. We didn't do anything to help ourselves."

Irving finished the night with 27 points and hauled

in 16 rebounds both gamehigh totals while Kellev scored a team-high 23, including 17 in the second half. Winfrey scored 11 and hauled in a team-high 14 rebounds, while Dale added eight, Kristie McKinlev seven, Liz Palmer six, Kira Tillman and LaTonya Henry, five each; and Jancsi Newsome and Samantha Flennory, four each.

Besides Irving, Laura Banda and Chareka Terry scored 14 each for the Lady Broncs, while Krystle Jim and Karleigh Wall added 12 each. Angie Faurot scored 10 and Candace Salas had

From the foul line, PRCC was 16 of 25 (61.5 percent), while GCCC was 28 of 34 (82.4 percent).

Pearl River sank 29 of 61 (47.5 percent) of its field goal attempts, while Garden City hit 28 of 68 (41.2 percent).



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That appears in Thursday's Sea Coast Echo.

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a dinner special which changes daily except Mondays, that's red beans and rice day, of course. And what better to top off a great meal than a delicious homemade dessert! The bread pudding with rum walnut sauce is fantastic as is the strawberry pecan cake, hummingbird cake or the banana pudding.

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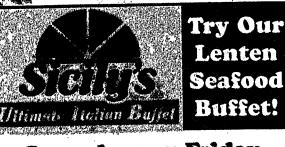
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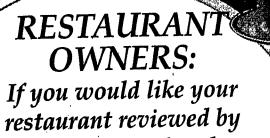
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Pass Boys and Girls Club golf tournament set for April 10-11

THE SEA COAST ECHO Golfers throughout the Gulf Coast are preparing for the 4th Annual Boys and Girls Club Golf Tournament at The Oaks Golf Club in Pass Christian, April 10-11. The tournament is hosted by the Pass Christian Unit of the Boys and Girls Clubs of the Gulf Coast and benefits the Pass Christian Unit.

This major fundraiser for the Pass Christian Unit includes a 9-Hole Individual Tournament on Thursday, April 10 and an 18-Hole Scramble on Friday, April 11. Over 100 players participated in the last year's tournament, winning a variety of prizes donated by industries and businesses throughout the coastal area. More importantly, the tournamen raised over \$17,000 to help the Boys and Girls Club program in Pass

"This is the major fund-

raising event for the Boys and Girls Clubs of Pass Christian," said Duane Wilson, tournament chair-"Those who have man. played in our tournament have commented about the fun, food and prizes we offer.

However, we've never lost sight of our goal and that's to continue to provide great services to young people through the Pass Christian Unit of Boys and Girls Clubs. "The Pass Christian Unit opened in June 2000 and has served over 563 registered members and an additional 1,000-plus youth through outreach in the areas of character and leadership development, health and life skills, education and career development, the arts, sports, fitness and recreation.

"Entry fees for the tournament vary, " said Wilson, "because not everyone who wants to be a part of the

tournament is available both days of the tournament. We recognize that by offering different ways to participate in the tournament, more people who want to be a part of the tournament can do so."

Fees for both days of the tournament per player are For the 18-Hole Scramble on April 11, cost is \$100 per player. The cost per player for the 9-Hole Tournament only on April 10 is \$40 per player. For those who want only to participate on a social basis, a « ticket is available that provides dinner Thursday and Lunch Friday of the tournament. Cost of the social ticket is \$20. All players in the full day event on Friday, in addition to being eligible for prizes, will also receive a

tournament golf shirt. The DeLisle Cooking Club will be preparing the meals for the tournament 374-2330.

again this year. The cooking club, made up of DuPont DeLisle employees, is a popular preparer of barbecue and "all the trimmings." Said Wilson, who is project group manager at DuPont DeLisle, "The cooking club takes this tournament very, very seriously and really go the extra mile to provide great meals for all the par-

ticipants." Tournament sponsorships still are available and range from a Bronze sponsorship at \$200 to Titanium Sponsor at \$2,500. DuPont DeLisle and Mississippi Power are the tournament's two major sponsors currently, notes Wilson who says that sponsorship "provides the opportunity to give back to the community in a very real way.

For further information, contact Wilson at 228-255-2180 or Lester Mitchell at

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Pirates fall to Bulldogs in baseball

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II **Staff Writer**

Christian The Pass Pirates' ace pitcher, Dustin Allen, was on the mound for the team on Tuesday, March 18, but it wasn't enough to stop the Vancleave Bulldogs in Division 8 Class 4A action.

Allen tallied three K's in however, Bulldogs' bats came alive in Jacob Welch, and others.

the second inning and scored six runs to take the early lead.

After the second inning rush, the Bulldogs were quite until late in the game. In the second inning, Vancleave got six runs on from biting the Pirates 12-7 six hits highlighted by a 2 in Division 8 Class 4A run triple by Casey Summerlin.

the first inning for Pass runs in the bottom of the Christian and had 11 for the second with some timely the hits by Matt Scarborough,

until the sixth inning when Pass Christian tied the game at 7-7.

Dustin Allen had an RBI double and Lane Jenkins cranked a shot to the wall that scored two runs for the Pirates."

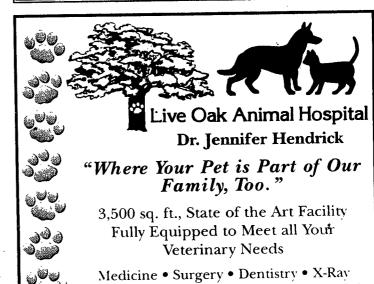
last inning until fate took a weird turn. A throwing error allowed a Bulldog player to reach first base with one out. That started a

Both teams were quiet chain reaction that led to five consecutive hits that scored runs for the Bulldogs to make the final tally of 12-

> The Pirates were unable to muster any offense in the last frame of the game.

Over the weekend, the The Pirates (6-7) were Pirates defeated 5A conpoised for a comeback in the tender Long Beach 4-3. Lane Jenkins and Jacob Welch each tallied two hits in the contest as Welch earned the victory on the mound.

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St. Stanislaus players named to All-State 4A Soccer Team

THE SEA COAST ECHO Seven St. Stanislaus athletes were selected to the 4-A Boys All State Soccer Team by the Mississippi Association of Coaches,

according to Brother Ronald

Hingle, SC, Principal. First team players are senior Peter Doty, son of Dr. and Mrs. R. Kimble Doty, Jr., of Pass Christian, Mississippi; junior Michael Kivlan, son of Mrs. Angie Kivlan and Mr. Andy Kivlan, both of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi; junior

Beau Brodtmann, son of Mr. Edwood Mrs. and Brodtmann of Waveland, Mississippi; and senior Todd Farrar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Farrar Diamondhead, Mississippi.

Second team players are sophomore Elias Alam Gonzales, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Elias Alam of Merida, Mexio; sophomore Patrick Donohoe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Donohoe or Waveland, Mississippi; and senior Jeremy Boelte, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald

Mississippi. Peter Doty was also selected as the 4-A Boys Soccer Player of the Year.

Coach Andy Kivlan was selected as the 4-A Boys Soccer Coach of the Year.

Saint Stanislaus College is a Catholic residency and day school for young men in grades 6-12. The school fosters character formation and integrates faith development within a curriculum which is primarily college preparatory.

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The following information is needed to file your application.

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B) Cost of property

C) Down payment amount

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PRCC to host disc golf tourney Pro Women, and Advanced; THE SEA COAST ECHO

POPLARVILLE-The Pearl River Community College Wellness Center is proud to present the First Annual Windy Hills Disc Tournament Golf Saturday, March 29, from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. at the PRCC Wildcat Trace

Disc Golf Course. Sign up for the tournament is from 8:30 to 9:30

The tournament will include two rounds of 18 holes. The cost is \$40 for Open Pro; \$35 for Pro Master; \$30 for Grand Masters, Amateur Masters,

\$25 for Amateur Men and Women; and \$17 for Junior and Novice players. This tournament is open to professionals and novice players. The tournament is a 2003 Southern National Qualifier.

All players will play tees for the first white round.

In round two, gold tees will be open and played by pro masters and advanced men; white tees will be played by amateur men and women, pro women, and grand master; maroon tees will be played by junior and

novice players. All junior and novice players will receive their choice of a Tshirt or a cap. Proceeds from the tour-

nament will go towards the building fund for the new PRCC chapel. For more information

contact PRCC Wellness Center Assistant Jonas Lefort at 601-403-1340 or PRCC instructor Shane Seal at 601-403-1114. For directions to the tournament, check out the Wildcat Trace Disc Golf Course web site

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Waveland Little League final registration and tryouts Friday

final registration and tryouts on Friday, March 21, from 7p.m. until 9p.m. and Saturday, March 22, 10a.m. until 2p.m.

There will be a coach, assistant coach,

Waveland Little League will be having and umpires meeting on Friday, March 21 at 6:30p.m. Anyone interested in coaching, assisting coaching or umpiring must attend this meeting. For more information, call

ee chosen as STAR Student

THE SEA COAST ECHO

Chandler "Chad" Allee has been selected by the Mississippi Economic Council (MEC) to represent St. Stanislaus College in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi as its STAR Student for

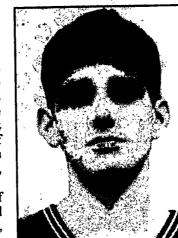
Student-Teacher The Achievement Recognition (STAR) program recognizes achievement among Mississippi's top high school students through emphasis upon scholastic excellence and encouragement of greater scholastic effort.

Chad's STAR Teacher Tournament. selection is Religion instructor Matt McKiernan. Both Chad and Mr. McKiernan have been invited to attend the MEC's Education Celebration 2003 on the campus of Mississippi Clinton, College in Mississippi on April 25th.

In addition to being named a STAR Student, Chad is a Commended National Merit Scholar and played Basketball for the St. Stanislaus team that appeared in the Final Four of the 2002-2003 State

While Chad has not made a decision as to the college or university that he will attend in the fall, he has been accepted into the Texas A & M Honors Engineering Program, the University of Texas at Austin School Engineering and Millsaps Jackson, College in Mississippi.

Chad is the son of Michelle and Don Allee and along with sister Taylor, makes their home in Pass Christian, Mississippi.



Chad Allee

children group meets today

Gifted

THE SEA COAST ECHO

Today, March 20 at 6:30 pm, the Hancock County Association for Gifted Children (HCAGC) will host its Spring General Meeting at the Kiln Library.

Guest speaker will be Carol Paola, Membership Chair of Mississippi of Gifted Association Children (MAGC).

She will speak on the history of MAGC, the profile of a gifted student and programs available to our gifted students.

Ms. Paola is Past President of MAGC and Contact Person for gifted students- in the Long Beach School District. HCAGC has been formed as a local chapof the Mississippi Association of Gifted Children (MAGC) to provide parents and teachers with an opportunity to work together to continue quality education for our gifted stu-

HCAGC is open to any parent or teacher of a gifted student enrolled in Hancock County School District or to anyone interested in the programs.

Membership applications will be available at the meeting and through your child's Gifted Instructor.

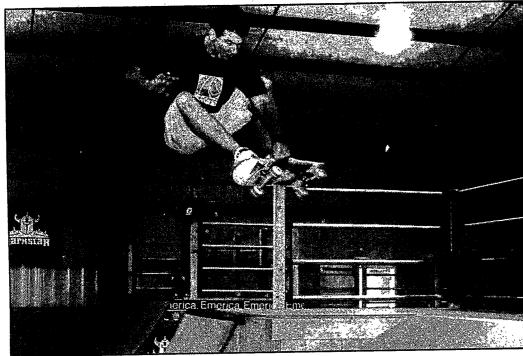
The purpose of HCAGC is to disseminate information about gifted education and programs, to act as a public advocate for meeting the special needs of gifted children, and to provide student and teacher scholarships.

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South Coast Skate Park in Waveland will present the Kre-per Truck Spring Tour 2003 today, March 20 at 5 p.m. Spectator fee is \$5; the skating fee is \$10. The demo is from 5 to 6 p.m. The session with the team will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. Team riders include Dave Reul, Ryan Carpender, Kyle Hagerty, Pee Wee, J.J. Mace, Brigham Edwards and Chris Swanson. For more information, call 228-467-8003 or visit www.southcoastskatepark.com. The park is located at 118 Auderer Blvd.

'Flight of Dimes' to raise funds for celebration of Age of Aviation

BY BILL ROBBINS **Contributing Writer**

It will be the Flight of Dimes Saturday, March 29, when volunteer pilots and their airplanes will present a program of sky rides at the Diamondhead Airport sight-seeing flights for all comers over Diamondhead and surrounding coastal

The program is intended

Grief support group

Quality Hospice, in con-Wesley junction with Medical Center, is offering "Life After Loss", a grief support group, Meetings are held every Thursday from 3:00-4:30 p.m. at Wesley Medical Center through April 3, 2003. Thereafter, meetings will be held monthly. Schedules for the monthly meetings will be

announced at a later date. Jennifer Garrott, LSW, Coordinator of Social Workers, Quality Hospice, will facilitate the meetings with Pam Malone, LMSW, Social Worker with Quality Hospice, and Chaplain Roger Flowers from Wesley Medical Center. Meetings are open to the public and anyone who has experienced the loss of a loved one is invited to attend. For more information on the grief support group, contact Jennifer Garrott, LSW, at (800) 777-4279, or Chaplain

Flowers at (601) 268-8403. Quality Hospice serves patients in Hancock, Harrison, Jackson, Pearl River, Stone, George, Perry, Lamar, Forrest, Greene, Marion, Covington and Jones Counties.

to raise funds for a two-day exposition celebrating the 100th year of aviation and featuring aircraft of many types and from various periods, from antiques to warplanes, scheduled for the weekend September. The celebration of the age of aviation will be part of a gala weekend at Diamondhead, scheduled to coincide with the community's noted annual arts-andcrafts festival.

The pilots, all volunteers who will be donating their time and that of their airplanes, will charge no fees for the March 29 plane rides, but passengers win be asked to make a donation to help defray costs of the September exposition. Donations of 10 cents a pound of the rider's weight will be suggested.

The flights will start at 9 A.M. and continue until mid-afternoon.

The September exposition will celebrate a century of achievement in air and space since that historic day, Dec. 17, 1903, when it all began with one brief flight by Orville Wright over the sand dunes of Kitty Hawk, N.C.

Though the celebration itself is six months away, dozens of volunteers, led by a steering committee that includes Mario Feola, Pete Fritzsching, John Hall, Charles Hense, and many others, are already hard at work on the preparations.

Military service leaders have also promised their cooperation, and local banks and businesses will help finance the event, sponsoring colorful booths to promote their wares and servic-

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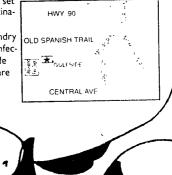
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For more than half a century, Riley B. King - better known as B.B. King has defined the blues for a worldwide audience. Since he started recording in the 1940s, he has released over 50 albums, many of them classics.

He was born on a plantation in Itta Bena, Mississippi in 1925, he spent his youth, playing on street corners for dimes, and would sometimes play in as many as four towns a night.

In 1947, he hitchhiked to Memphis, TN, to pursue his music career because Memphis was where every important musician of the



South gravitated. B.B. stayed with his

cousin Bukka White, one of the most celebrated blues performers of his time, who schooled B.B. further in the art of the blues. B.B.'s first big break came in 1948 when he performed on Sonny Boy Williamson's radio program on KWEM out of West Memphis.

This led to steady engagements at the

Sixteenth Avenue Grill in West Memphis, and later to a ten-minute spot on Memphis radio station WDIA. "King's Spot," became so popular, it was expanded and became the 'Sepia Swing Club." Soon B.B. needed a catchy radio

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In the mid-1950s, while B.B. was performing in Twist, Arkansas, two men got into a fight, knocking over a kerosene stove and setting fire to the hall. B.B. raced outdoors to safety with everyone else, then realized that he left his beloved \$30 acoustic guitar inside, so he rushed back inside the burning building to retrieve it, narrowly escaping death.

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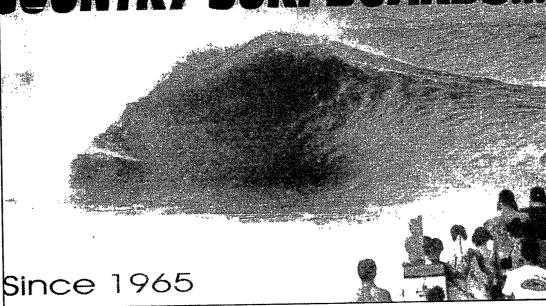
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SPANISH ACRES: 3 BEDROOM TWO BEDROOM ONE BATH 2 full baths, fenced yard. \$650/month \$350/month, \$150/deposit. 228-760-plus deposit. 467-4987.

151 Furn. Houses Rent

6176 S. BEACH 3BR/2BA DECK Overlooks Gulf. \$600/mo, lease. Call (504)391-9903

> Lots/Acreage 156

1 BLOCK OFF HWY 603, LARGE corner lot. Logan and 2nd Street. Oak trees, water and sewer available. Houses only. 228-868-2066.

2 50X100 OR 1 100X100 WATER-FRONT lot on Manhattan St. in Riverview near the Jourdan River. Call 493-9857 or 466-9857.

7 WOODED ACRES CONV TO I-10 \$5,000 per ac. Waterfront lots \$12,000 up. Call for details. Key Properties 467-0600.

HENLEY PLACE, BAY ST. LOUIS, MS. Extra large corner lot blocks from the beach. In well known area, with nice homes. \$21,500 call (985)781-8400

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We would like to buy your logs, poles, pulpwood and hardwood timber. Small tracts or large tracts 255-3082

John M^cDonald **REALTY**

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VACANCIES

TOWNHOUSE, 2 bedroom, 1.5 baths, near Bay Waveland Yacht

Club. \$550.00 LOVELY THREE BEDROOM HOME, 2 full baths, located on a quiet street. New construction: \$1200.00

2 BEDROOM, 2 bath, hardwood floors, central heat & air. Near beach. \$750.00 2 BEDROOM, 2 BATH HOME in Pass Christian Isles. Renovated, new carpet. \$800.00

2 BEDROOM HOME new carpet, \$375. COMPLETELY RENOVATED 3 BEDROOM, 2 bath home on 3 acres near the beach. \$1100.00

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, in Cedar Point area. \$675.00 3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, fenced yard in Spanish Acres, \$650.00 2 BEDROOM, 2 BATH on deep water canal in Pass Christian,

\$1,000.00

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Lots/Acreage

LOT 72X140, SEWAGE, Electric pole, 60' culvert, mobile home ok.

Harbor Dr. area, \$7500. 466-6358. NICE WATERFRONT LOT in Shoreline Park, \$13,000. Owner finance \$2600 down, 10% interest \$221/month, 5 years. Owner/agent.

669-4444 or 255-0403. OWNER FINANCE: NICE BUILDING LOT, Pine Ridge, Waveland \$19,000. Gold Coast, 228-467-4479. Waveland.

PROPERTY FOR SALE: 4 LOTS, back to back, street to street, 23rd Street, Shoreline Park, \$8000; Also 2 lots, East Issaquena St., Bayside Park, \$3000, 467-2091

WAIT NOT!! WANT NOT!! Beautifully cleared 1/2 acre lots. Private community, paved streets, close to entertainment, Carlton Roberts Road, Call Lori, 228-216-2002. Coldwell Banker

WHITE CYPRESS LAKES: OWNER financing. Beautiful acreage lots, waterfront, trailer lots, pool, club-house, tennis courts, and fishing. Ten miles east of I-59, Carriere exit. Thirty miles from Bay St. Louis. 228-255-1790

158 Commercial Property

2 COMMERCIAL LOTS FOR SALE: 100'x200' total, on Hwy. \$42,500 for both. 467-9545 or 466-

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY: 415 Necaise, BSL, \$225/month. Call for

info. 467-9278. OFFICE & RETAIL SPACE available: Choctaw Village, Waveland Ms. Phone 228-255-4396 or Pager 228-

883-8554.

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PRUDENTIAL GARDNER: Excellent office location, 1015 Hwy. 90. 2 units available. Close to Hancock Medical Center. Terms negotiable. Call for info./appointment. 467-1602.

Houses For Sale

REMODELED. JUST 2BR/1BA. NEW appliances, window treatments, Berber carpet, wood floors in kitchen, new cabinets, new bath, one block off the bay. \$68,500. 228-466-

5800, Cell 228-363-0313

Houses For Sale

3 YEAR OLD, 2503 SQ.FT. Custom built home in Waveland with many extras. \$139,000. 228-466-3566.

CUTE 3BR NEWLY RENOVATED priced to sell. \$48,000 302 Sandy St. Waveland Gold Coast (228)-467-

CUTE, CUTE, CUTE! Remodell Everything new! 3BR/2BA near beach, Waveland. Large lot, quiet street. 410 West 4th. \$87,000. (985)863-3020.

FOR RENT OR SALE: WATER-FRONT new 3bd/3ba, docks, decks, beautiful, quiet. \$700/month. Also, 1 acre Natural Bayou. 28,000.

467-1966 GRANDMA'S HSE: HI CEILINGS, lg rms, seldom traveled street. \$65,000. Pass Christian: 2 bdrm 2 ba country home, cntl h/a, 6 acres, \$56,900. Country: Lg 3 bdrm raised home cntl h/air. \$55,500. Key Prop-

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dows. Back porch w/nice view. Bulkhead w/dock. Storage room w/full bath downstairs. Larger lot. Priced right, \$149,900. 586-0433.

available for owner finance. For more info. on this home. Chris 228-NEED SOMEONE TO ASSUME

acre. Appliances included. Peady to move into. Little cash needed. Help Call Chris for directions. 228-609-NEW CONSTRUCTION: 3BR/2BA.

double garage, tray ceiling/livingroom & master bedroom, fireplace, alarm system, 1886sq.ft. 125 Marcie Lane, Waveland. \$112.000. 467-

1br/ba, new a/c, \$57,300. 120 Cedar Point Road off Dunbar. Gold Coast, 228-467-4479

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INVESTMENT PROPERTY

644 Union Street, Bay St. Louis, MS (3bedrooms, 1 bath, Brick Veneer)

For more information, please contact Carol M. Cowart, Community Development Manager at (228) 831-0881, Ext. 4 or



227 Coleman Ave

(228) 467-5454

or (504) 522-6909

Real Estate Sales & Rentals

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CLERMONT HARBOR RETREAT with most furnishings to remian. This 2Bd., 1 Ba home is only a few blocks to the beach. For \$32,500 this is a great handy mans special! (2B1)

one you must see! All for only \$159,000 (4B2) JUST LISTED near Bay St. Louis casino is this cute little getaway. Waterfront cottage has 1 Bd, 1Ba, with new carpet and vinyl! Asking

IDLEWOOD BEAUTY offering approx 2,000 sq. ft., 4 Bd., 2.5 Ba, fire-

place, ceramic tile, high ceilings, double car garage and large yard. This

2.37 ACRES OF LAND with many large oak trees. House is about 400' from the road with seperate three car garage. Features include an artesain well, riparian rights to Jordan River, 3bd., 2ba., approx. 1,700 sq.ft., fireplace, Florida room and pleanty more. \$175,000(3B20)

CHECK THIS ONE OUT! Charming 3 bedroom 1 bath cottage has approx. 1,175 sq. ft. with plenty to offer. A spectacular interior with plenty amenities. All the floors and bathroom are new. Come see! \$63,500 THIRD HOUSE FROM THE BEACH in good flood zone "B"! 3bd., 2ba.,

approx. 1,893 sq. ft. with vaulted ceiling in living room and master bed-

room. Huge master bath, walk in closets, new carpet, ceramic tile, crown moulding, heat pump... the list goes on! Reduced to \$165,000. (3B19) ONLY \$51,000 for this 3 bd, 1.5 ba. home. Great potential for the perfect camp or vacation spot. Just a stroll to the beach. This home measures out at approx. 1,140 sq.ft. not including the 2 screened porches. Update to

your specifications. Possible owner financing. (3B15) Take your Time - Rent While You Shop Monthly/Weekly Rentals Available! Rental#: 467-5429 WWW.ASHMAN-MOLLERE.COM

erties, Inc. 467-0600.

O/A. (504)908-7653. JOURDAN RIVER SHORES: 3br/2ba, kitchen w/den combo/corner fireplace wooden blinds w/lots win-

LARGE 4BR/3BA, UP TO 4.6 acres

Govt. loan on 3br/2ba, on nice half

WALK TO BEACH: 1 ACRE PLUS

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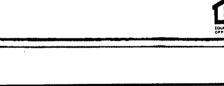
Also Land Clearing, Bulldozer and Trackhoe Work 255-3082



The following property will be sold for cash At public auction to the highest bidder on April 7, 2003, commencing at 11:30 a.m.

The sale will be held at the North door of the Hancock County Courthouse in the city of Bay St. Louis, MS. For complete legal description and details of the sale, please refer to the legal section of this newspaper.

12238 Ashley Dr., Gulfport, MS 39503



Condo Rental/Sale

1500 SQ. FT. TOWNHOUSE/Condo in Waveland. Balcony over looks Guif, completely redone, 2bd/2-1/2ba, furnished, double carport and storage area, \$145,000. Possible Call 985-641finance. 9022/985-649-7093.

FURNISHED CONDO FOR SALE: One block off beach. 201D Coleman Ave., Waveland. 2bedroom/1bath, carport/storage room. \$89,900. Owner finance, Call 985-641-5514.

Public Notices

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF THE
MINOR CHILD NAMED IN THE PETITION
VERSUS
LEO DRISCOLL, a minor,

DEFENDANTS CAUSE NO. 2002-17A SUMMONS

(Service by Publication: Residence Unknown)
TO: LEO DRISCOLL: alleged father of the minor child named in the Petition, whose last known child named in the Petition, whose last known street and post office address after diligent search and inquiry made is 401 Pecan Park. Bay St Louis, MS You have been made a Respondent in the suit filed in this Court by Petitioners named herein seeking relief as fully set out in the Petition on file.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against you in this action at 9:30 o'clock a.m. on the 18th day of April 2003, in the courtroom of the Harrison County Courthouse at Gulfoort, Mississippi, and of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the mon-ey or other things demanded in the complaint or

petition
You are not required to file an answer or other
pleading but you may do so if you desire
Issued under my hand and seal of said Court
This 11th day of March. 2003
(SEAL) TIMOTHY A KELLAR

Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi BY: Pamela Cuevas Attorney for Petitioners MALCOLM F. JONES Attorney at Law 106 East Beach Blvd. Pass Christian, MS 39571 (228) 452-9471

03/13, 03/20; 03/27/03 IN THE CHANCERY COURT

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
ROBERT P. JOLET
PAMELA DUTCHER VAN EPPS
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 18 day of March, 2003, by the Chancery Court of HANCOCK County, Mississippi to the undersigned EXECUTRIX of the Estate of ROBERT POLLET, DECEASED, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of this Court forobate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred THIS the 18 day of March 2003

PAMELA DUTCHER VAN EPPS

EXECUTRIX OF THE

EXECUTRIX OF THE Estate of ROBERT P JOLET

MICHAEL C HILL ATTORNEY AT LAW 1914 24TH AVENUE GULFPORT, MS 39501 (228) 868-1013 Attorney for the EXECUTRIX 3/20; 3/27 4/3, 4/10/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LEON J. LEBLANC. JR Deceased NO. 2003-119 NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 6th day of March 2003. by the Chancery Court of Hancock County. Mississippi to the undersigned Executinx of the Estate of Leon J Leblanc Jr. Deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said Estate to present the same to the clerk of this court for probate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice of days from the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred THIS the 10th day of March 2003

DONNA HENRY Executrix of the Estate of Leon J Leblanc Jr Deceased

PREPARED BY The Law Offices Of THOMAS D. BERRY, JR Post Office Box 88 (1...) Main Street) Bay St. Louis, MS 39520-0088 one/Fax (228)-463-0100 MSB NO 2469 03/13, 03/20, 03/27/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARY CLARE CASE YAMBRA, DECEASED HIDAM M SKAGGS

JOHN H. SKAGGS CYNTHIA S. SCURRIA AND JEFFREY H. SKAGGS DETITIONEDS VS.
HEIRS AT LAW OF MARY CLARE CASE SKAGGS,
DEFENDANTS

CAUSE NO. 2003-148 SUMMONS THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO THE HEIRS AT LAW OF MARY CLARE
CASE SKAGGS. DECEASED other than Petitioners, whose names, post office and street
addresses are unknown after diligent search and
inquiry. You have been made defendants in the
lawsuit filed in this Court by Hiram M. Skaggs.
John H. Skaggs. Cynthia S. Scurna and Jeffrey
H. Skaggs. Petitioners seeking adjudication and
determination of the Heix, at Law of Mary Clare. on of the Heirs at Law of Mary Clare

determination of the Heirs at Law of Mary Clare
Case Skaggs, deceased
You are summoned to appear and defend
against the petition filed against you in this action
at 9.30 octock A M on the 15th day of April
2003 in the courtroom of the Hancock County
Annex at 306 Highway 90 Bay St Louis, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire Issued under my hand and seal of said Court this 27th day of February. 2003

Timothy A Kellar Clerk of Court Pamela R Cuevas Deputy Clerk 03/06, 03/13, 03/20/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI KATHERINE KOONS PLAINTIFF

VEHSES
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, SECRETARY OF
STATE; HANCOCK COUNTY, BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS; CONO CARANNA, DISTRICT ATTORNEY: WILLIAM J. LUSCY, JR.; WILHELMINA LUSCY; AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING A LEGAL OR EQUI-TABLE INTEREST IN LOT 12, BLOCK 13, CLERMONT HARBOR, A SUBDIVISION OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI. RESPOND-

CASE NO. 2003-178 SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

SUMMUNS BY PUBLICATION
TO Secretary of State c/o Mike Moore. Attorney
General. Hancock County, Board of Supervisors
Cono Caranna, District Attorney, William J Luscy, Jr, Withelmina Luscy, and All Persons Having
or Claiming a Legal or Equitable Interest in the
Property Described Above

Property Described Above
NOTICE
This is a suit by Katherine Koons to confirm her title in that certain property described above, and as more fully set out in the Complaint for Confirmation of Title which is on file in the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi in the above case number. If you have a legal of equitable claim or interest in this property, you are required to mail of hand-deliver a copy of your required to mail of hand-deliver a copy of your response to the Complaint to Confirm Title within thirty (30) days from the 6th day of March, 20C. which is the date of the first publication of this summons, to the attorney for the Plaintiffs, Kelly Michael Rayburn, Esq., whose address is Post Office Box 2566, Gulfport, Mississippi 39505. OTHERWISE, IF YOU FAIL TO FILE A RESPONSE, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT. You must also file the ordiginal of your response with the Clerk DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT. You must also file the original of your response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time afterward. The address of the Clerk of this Court is P.O. Box 429, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39521.

Timothy A. Kellar, Chancery Clerk Hancock County, Mississippl By: Pamela Cuevas Deputy Clerk 03/06; 03/13; 03/20/03

Public Notices

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI KATHERINE KOONS PLAINTIFF

VERSES
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, SECRETARY OF
STATE; HANCOCK COUNTY, BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS; CONO CARANNA, DISTRICT
ATTORNEY; DIAMONDHEAD CORP.; AND
ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING & LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN LOT 20,
BLOCK B, DIAMONDHEAD, PHASE 2, UNIT A
SUBDIVISION OF HANCOCK COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI. RESPONDENTS
CASE NO. 2003-179
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

CASE NO. 2003-179
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
TO: Secretary of State of Mike Moore, Attorney
General, Hancock County, Board of Supervisors.
Cono Caranna, District Attorney, Diamondhead
Corp. and All Persons Having or Claiming a
Legal or Equitable Interest in the Property Descri-NOTICE

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Timothy A Kellar, Chancery Clerk Hancock County Mississippi By Pamela Cuevas 03/06, 03/13, 03/20/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI KATHERINE KOONS

VERSES
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, SECRETARY OF
STATE; HANCOCK COUNTY, BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS; CONO CARANNA. DISTRICT
ATTORNEY; E.E. EDWARDS; JOHN GROWER
AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING A
LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN LOT 31,
BLOCK 132, SHORELINE PARK, UNIT 7, ADI
3, A SUBDIVISION OF HANCOCK COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI RESPONDENTS
CASE NO. 2003-180
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

CASE NO. 2003-180
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
TO Secretary of State c/o Mike Moore. Attorney
General, Hancock County. Board of Supervisors
Cono Caranna. District Attorney. E E Edwards.
John Grower, and Ali Persons Having or Claiming a Legal or Equitable Interest in the Property
Described Above.

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Timothy A Kellar Chancery Clerk Hancock County Mississippi By Pamela Cuevas 03/06. 03/13 03/20/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI LOIS V. RAGUSA

VS
JENNIE N. HOLT. ET ALS DEFENDANTS
PUBLICATION SUMMONS
CAUSE NO. 2003-182
TO (A) Jennie N Holt if alive, whose last known address and whose present address, both post office address and street address is unknown after diligent search and inquiry and if dead, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Jennie N Holt whose names post office and street addresses are unknown after diligent search and inquiry. By any and all other persons having or inquiry (B) any and all other persons having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in the fol-

lowing land tots 47 48 and 49 Block 13 WAVELAND HIGH-LANDS SUBDIVISION City of Waveland Han-cock County. Mississippi as per the official map or plat of said subdivision on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock

County Mississippi You have been made defendants in the lawsuit filed in this Court by Lois V Ragusa. complainant whose address is c.o Favre. Genir & Scafide PO Box 70 Bay St Louis. Mississippi

The complaint filed against you has initiated a civil action alleging legal ownership of the above described property and seeking to quiet and con-You are required to file with the Clerk of this

You are required to file with the Clerk of this Court a written answer either admitting or denying each allegation in the complaint and in addition a copy of your written answer should be either mailed or hand delivered to Favre Genin & Scafide complainants attorney, whose address is P.O. Box 70 Bay St. Louis Mississippi 39520 YOUR ANSWER MUST BE FILED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 6TH DAY OF THE ADDED AND WITH THE PATE OF THE MARCH 2003 WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS PINS POBLICATION OF THIS SUMMINOS IN YOUR ANSWER IS NOT SO MAILED OR DELIVERED. A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MON-EY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT

WITNESS my signature and official seal this the 27 day of February 2003 (Seal)

TIMOTHY A KELLAR BY Larrinell Scarborough 03/06 03 13 03/20/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI MES NECAISE PLAINTIFF JAMES NECAISE

IE LINKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF LEROY J THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF LEHOY J.
HODA, DECEASED THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT
LAW OF ROSENIA NICAISE HODA A.K.A.
ROSENIA NICAISE, DECEASED THE
UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF GENEVIE N.
LADNER, DECEASED DEFENDANTS

CAUSE NO. 2003-199 SUMMONS (Service by Publication: Residence Unknown)

SUMMONS

(Service by Publication: Residence Unknown)
TO The Unknown Heirs at Law of LEROY J
HODA deceased. The Unknown Heirs at Law of
ROSENIA NICAISE HODA A K A ROSENIA
NICAISE deceased The Unknown Heirs at Law
of GENEVIE N LADNER, deceased
You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed
in this court by JAMES NECAISE initiating a civil
action alleging that ROSENIA NICAISE HODA
A K A ROSENIA NICAISE was the sole and only
heirs at law of LEROY J HODA, deceased, that
JAMES NECAISE. BERNELL NECAISE MARDELL TOMASICH, JANELL BOURGEOIS, BERTHA PARKER, MILDREN LADNER and the children of her deceased child, GENEVIE NECAISE
who are WANDA LADNER BILLIE JEAN
NECAISE. BARBARA JOHNSON, PATTY BERMOND AND CARL LADNER are the sole and
only heirs at law of ROSENIA NICAISE HODA
A K A ROSENIA NICAISE. deceased and "WANDA LADNER, BILLIE JEAN NECAISE, BARBARA JOHNSON, PATTY BERMOND AND
CARL LADNER are the sole and
only heirs at law of ROSENIA NICAISE, BARBARA JOHNSON, PATTY BERMOND AND
CARL LADNER are the sole and only heirs at law
of GENEVIE N LADNER, deceased
You are summoned to appear and defend
against the complaint or petition filed against you
in this action at 9 30 O'Clock A M on the 17th
day of April, 2003, in the courtroom of the Hancock County Chancery Court at 306 Highway 90,
Bay St Louis, Mississippi, 39520 and in case of
your failure to appear and defend a judgment will
be entered against you for the money or other
things demanded in the complaint or petition

your failure to appear and oterind a judgment win be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire. Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 7th day of March, 2003.

(SEAL)
TIMOTHY A KELLAR CHANCERY CLERK
HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI BY: Janet McArthur 03/13, 03/20, 03/27/03

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
HIEN TRAN AKVA TRAN HEIN PLAINTIFF

YS.

JULIENNE 0. MATHERINE, COLUMBUS
MATHERINE, UNION MORTGAGE COMPANY,
INC., SHIRLEY DUFRENE, FLORENCE
DUFRENE, AND ANY AND ALL
OTHER PERSONS
DEFENDANTS
CIVIL CAUSE NO. 2003-201
PUBLICATION SUMMONS
TO (1) Julienne 0. Matherfne, if alive, who is
believed to be a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose last known address, both post
and street address, is 400 South Broatway.
Wells MN 56097, after diligent search and inquiry, and if she be dead, her unknown heirs at law
or devisees, whose names, last known addressry, and if she be dead, her unknown heirs at law or devisees, whose names, last known addresses, both post office and street address, are unknown after diligent search and inquiry. (2) Columbus Matherine, if allive who is believed to be a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose last known address, both post and street address, is 400 South Broadway. Wells, MN 56097, after diligent search and inquiry, and if he be dead, her unknown his at law or devisees, whose names, last known addresses, both post office and street address are unknown after diligent street address are unknown after diligent in the street address are unknown after diligent and street address are unknown after diligent. office and street address, are unknown after dilioffice and street address, are unknown after dilu-gent search and inquiry. (3) Union Mortgage Company, Inc. which is believed to be a non-res-ident corporation of the State of Mississippi. it's last known address, both post and street address, is, P.O. Box 515929, Dallas, TX 75257-5929, after diligent search and inquiry, and if dis-solved it's Unknown Stockholders or Assigns, whose names, last known addresses, both post office and street address are unknown after dilioffice and street address, are unknown after dili-gent search and inquiry, (4) Shirley Dufrene, if alive, who is believed to be a non-resident of the alive, who is believed to be a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose last known address both post and street address. is 7043 Hancock Drive, Bay St Louis, MS 395260, and if moved, he is believed to be a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose address, both post office and street addresses, is unknown after diligent search and inquiry, and if he be dead, his unknown heirs at law or devisees, whose names, last known addresses, both post office and street address are unknown after diligent search and inquiry (5) Florence Dufrene, if alive, who is believed to be a non-resident of the State of Mississippi whose last known address, both post and street be a non-resident of the State of Mississippi whose last known address, both post and street address, is 7043 Hancock Drive. Bay St Louis MS 395260, and if moved, she is believed to be a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose address, both post office and street addresses, is unknown after diligent search and inquiry, and if she be dead, her unknown heirs at law or devisees, whose names, last known addresses both post office and street address, are unknown after diligent search and inquiry, (6) And Any and All Other Persons having or claiming any legal or

described land Lot 34. Block 214. Bayside Park Subdivision. Unit 3, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official plat thereof on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi Parcel No. 163M-0-07-043.000
You have been made defendants in the lawsuit filed in this Court by Hein Tran a/k/a Tran Hein, plaintiff, whose address is c/o George H. Lipscomb, Jr., P.O. Box 2114. Bay St. Louis MS 39521

Other Persons having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in and to the herein after

complaint filed against you has initiated a

The complaint filed against you has initiated a civil action alleging legal ownership of the above described property and seeking to quiet and confirm title. You are required to file with the Clerk of this Court a written answer either admitting or denying each allegation in the complaint, and in addition, a copy of your written answer should be either mailed or hand delivered to George H Lipscomb, Jr. Plaintiffs' attc'ney, whose address is P.O. Box 2114. Bay St. Louis, MS 39521. YOUR ANSWER MUST BE FILED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 13TH DAY THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 13TH DAY OF March, 2003, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS IF FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS IF YOUR ANSWER IS NOT SO FILED, MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT

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WITNESS my signature and official seal this 10th day of March 2003 Timothy A. Kellar CHANCERY CLERK

BY Pamela Cuevas DEPUTY CLERK 03/13, 03/20: 03/27/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY MISSISSIPPI DIAMONDHEAD COUNTRY CLUB AND PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. PLAINTIFF

PLAINTIFF
VERSUS
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, SECRETARY OF
STATE; HANCOCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS; CONO CARANNA, DISTRICT ATTORNEY; MICHAEL A. BRUNO, III, as Trustee
of the Mary M. Bruno Family Trust; MICHAEL
A. BRUNO, INDIVIDUALLY; MARY M. BRUNO;
AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING A AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OF CLAIMING A LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN LOT 7, BLOCK 3, UNIT 5, DIAMONDHEAD, PHASE 2, A SUBDIVISION OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MIS-SISSIPPI DEFENDANTS

CAUSE NO. 2003-208 SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION TO State of Mississippi, Secretary of State, Han-cock County, Board of Supervisors, Cono Carancock County, Board of Supervisors, Cono Caranna. District Attorney, Michael A Bruno, Ill as
Trustee of the Mary M. Bruno Family Trust, Michael A Bruno, Individually, Mary M. Bruno and
All persons having or claiming a legal or equitable interest in Lot 7. Block 3. Unit 5. Diamondhead Phase 2. a subdivision of Hancock County.

Mississippi NOTICE

NOTICE
This is a suit by Diamondhead Country Club and Property Owners Association Inc to confirm its title in that certain property described above and as more fully set out in the Complaint to Confirm Title which is on file in the Chancery Court of Hancock County. Mississippi in the above case number If you have a legal or equitable claim or interest in this property you are required to mail or hand-deliver a copy of your response to the Complaint to Confirm Title within thirty (30) days from the 20th day of March 2003, which is the from the 20th day of March 2003, which is the from the 20th day of March 2003, which is the date of the first publication of this summons, to the attorney for the Plaintiffs Kelly Michael Rayburn. Esq. whose address is Post Office Box 2566. Gullport. Mississippi 39505 OTHERWISE. IF YOU FAIL TO FILE A RESPONSE. A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLIAINT.

IN THE COMPLAINT You must also file the original of your response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time afterward. The address of the Clerk of this Court is P.O. Box 429 Bay St. Louis Ms 39521 (SEAL)

Timothy A Keller, Chancery Clerk Hancock County Mississipp By Larrinell Scarborough ocarborough Deputy Clerk

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TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE
WHEREAS on November 5, 2001, Kaimusa
Nichols, executed a Deed of Trust to Lem
Adams. III, Trustee for the use and benefit of
Skye Mortgage Group, LLC, which Deed of Trust
is on tile and of record in the office of the Chanis on tile and of record in the office of the Chan-cery Clerk of Hancock County Mississippi, in Deed of Trust Book 672 at Page 189 thereof, and WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust was ultimately assigned to Wells Fargo Bank Minnesotta NA, as Trustee for Registered Holders of Option One Mortgage Loan Trust 2001-D, Assel-Backed Cer-tificates Saries 2001-D, by assignment on file tificates Series 2001-D, by assignment on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Book 739 at Page 557 thereof, and

of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Book 739 at Page 557 thereof, and WHEREAS, default having been made in the performance of the conditions and stipulations as set forth by said Deed of Trust, and having been requested by the legal holder of the indebtedness secured and described by said Deed of Trust so to do, notice is hereby given that I, Lem Adams, III, Trustee, by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in said Deed of Trust, will offer for sale and will sell at public sale and outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, during the legal hours (between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m.) at the North front door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 21st day of March, 2003, the following described land and property being the same land and property described in said Deed of Trust, situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, to-will

Parts of Lots 37 and 39, Rear Third Ward, Bay St Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, and more fully described as. Commencing at a stake which is the Southeast corner of Lot 39, Rear Third Ward, City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, as per the official plat by E. S. Drake, C. E., and filed May 1, 1928 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Harrison County, Mississippi, thence North 70 degrees West 6815 feet to an iron stake; thence North 70 degrees West 6815 feet to an iron stake; thence North 70 degrees West 100.00 feet as a point of beginning; thence North 20 degrees East 236 feet, more or less to the North line of Lot 32; thence North 70 degrees West 100.00 feet, more or less, along said North line of Lot 32; thence South 20 degrees West 236.00 feet, more or less, to the South line of Lot 39; thence South 70 degrees East 100.00 feet to the point of beginning. ts of Lots 37 and 39. Rear Third Ward, Bay

Title to the above described property is believed to be good, but I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee WITNESS my signature, on this the 17th day of February, 2003. LEM ADAMS, III SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE PREPARED BY: ADAMS & EDENS Foreclosure Department POST OFFICE BOX 400 BRANDON, MISSISSIPPI 39043 (601) 825-9508 02/27; 03/06; 03/13; 03/20/03

Public Notices

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

VS. ETHEL CORINE DAVIS NECAISE, AND ANY AND ALL OTHER PERSONS

VS.

ETHEL CORINE DAVIS NECAISE, AND ANY AND ALL OTHER PERSONS DEFENDANTS

CIVIL CAUSE NO. 2003-228

PUBLICATION SUMMONS

TO (1)Ethel Porine Davis Necause al/Va Ethel Corine Davis if alive, whose last known address, both post office and street addresses, is 1003 Washington Road, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520, after diligent search and inquiry, and if dead, her unknown heirs at law or devisees, whose names and addresses, both post office and street addresses, are unknown after diligent search and inquiry (2) Any and All Other Persons having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in and to the hereinafter described land Beginning at a stake on the Range line between Ranges 14 and 15, which stake is the Northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 13, Township 8 South, Range 15 West, Hancock County, Mississippi, thence run West 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run East 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run East 1105 feet on airon stake, thence run Fact 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run Fact 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run Fact 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run Fact 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run Fact 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run Fact 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run Fact 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run Fact 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run Fact 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run Fact 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run Fact 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run Fact 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run Fact 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence run Fact 1105 feet to an iron stake, thence

described property and seeking to quiet and confirm title
You are required to file with the Clerk of this
Court a written answer either admitting or denying each allegation in the complaint and in addition, a copy of your written answer should be either mailed or hand delivered to George H. Lipscomb. Jr. Plaintiffs attorney whose address is
P.O. Box 2114, Bay St. Louis MS 39521
YOUR ANSWER MUST BE FILED NOT LATER
THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 20TH DAY
OF March 2003. WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 20TH DAY
OF March, 2003, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE
FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS, IF
YOUR ANSWER IS NOT SO FILED, MAILED
OR DELIVERED A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT
MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE
MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN
THE COMPLAINT
WITNESS my signature and official seal this 17

WITNESS my signature and official seal this 17 day of March 2003 (SEAL) Timothy A Kellar CHANCERY CLERK BY Larrinell Scarborough DEPUTY CLERK

3/20. 3/27 4/3/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SHIRLEY ANN WYATT, DECEASED 9UMMONS BY PUBLICATION 'STATE OF MISSISSIPPI 2003-229 TO The unknown or known hers at law and all other persons clamma any uplit title or interest

other persons claiming any right, title or interest as heirs of the estate of Shirley Ann Wyatt You are hereby summoned to appear to show cause that Robert W Wyatt Jr. Walter David

You are hereby summoned to appear to show cause that Robert W Wyatt Jr. Walter David Wyatt and John M Wyatt should not be adjudicated as the sole and only heirs at law of the Decedent, Shirley Ann Wyatt. as fully set out in the petition on file in the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi. You are hereby summoned to appear and defend against the petition filed against you in this action at 9.30 o'clock a m on the 1, day of May 2003 in the courtroom of the Hancock County Courthouse Annex at 306 highway 90 Bay St Louis, Mississippi and in the case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire Issued under my hand and seal of this Court, this the 18 day of March 2003 (SEAL)

Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi BY Erica Candebat 3/20 3/27, 4/3:03

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS SHIRLEY ANN WYATT, Deceased

2003-229 Letters of Administration having been granted on Letters of Administration having been granted oil the 18th day of March, 2003 by the Chancery Court of Hancock County Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of SHIRLEY ANN WYATT, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present same to the Clerk of said Court for Protein and registered according to law within unrely the and registered according to law within unrely bate and registered according to law within (90) days from this date or they will be foreve

This the 18th day of March 2003 BORERT W WYATT JR 3/20, 3/27, 4/3/03

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Request for proposal 03-15
Clean and paint a portion of the exterior of a 500,000 galion water tank. Work extends to approx 50 feet above ground level. Approximately 5,000 square feet Bidders must be bonded and insured Bids due no later than 10.00 a m April 18, 2003. Work scope details available at District Office.

Contact General Manager Diamondhead Water& Sewer District

4425 Park Ten Dr Diamondhead, MS 39525 fax 228-255-9139 e-mail: dwsd@cableone net 03/16, 03/20: 03/23 03/27 03

TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS, on June 5, 2000 Kenneth J Favre and Pamela Picou Favre executed a deed of trust to Eric D Wooten Trustee for the use and benefit of 1011 Land Development Inc benefit benefit of 1011 Land Development Inc beneficiary, which deed of trust is recorded in Book 593, at Pages 450, et seq thereof in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County Mississippi, which deed of trust secures the payment of an indebtedness therein described and WHEREAS, default has been made and still continues in the payment of said indebtedness as and when due and the undersigned Trustee has been called upon by 1011 Land Development, Inc., the owner and holder of the indebtedness, to foreclose and sell the property covered by said

been called upon by 1011 Land Development, Inc., the owner and holder of the indebtedness, to foreclose and sell the property covered by said deed of trust in accordance with the provisions of the deed of trust for the purpose of raising the sum so secured and unpaid together with the expense of selling the same including the Trustee s and attorney's fees, and NOW THEREFORE, I. the undersigned Trustee being requested and directed to execute the trust, and in strict accordance with the deed of trust aforesaid and the laws of the State of Mississippi, I do hereby give notice that on the 11th day of April, 2003. I will offer for sale at public outcry and will sell during legal hours, being between the hougs of 11.00 a m and 4.00 p.m. at the North main door of the Hancock County Courthouse, located at 152 Main Street, Bay St Loulis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest and best bidder, the following described land and property lying and being situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, being more particularly described as follows, lo-will. cribed as follows, to-wit

Lor 47, Mallard Point, Phase 7, a shortward on the cording to the official map or plat thereof on the and of record in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi will convey only such title as is vested in me as Witness my signature, this the 18th day of March.

Lot 47, Mallard Point, Phase I, a subdivision ac-

Fric B. Wooten

Allen, Vaughn. P.O. Box 660 Gulfport, Mississippi 39502 Mississippi Bar No 9063 3/20; 3/27; 4/3; 4/10/03

NOTICE OF SALE Sealed bids will be received by the director of materials management for the board of trustees of Hancock Medical Center for the purchase of surplus equipment belonging to Hancock Medical

Center.

For a list of the equipment or to inspect said equipment contact Bernard Chevalier, Director of Materials Management 467-8719

Bids will be opened at 3pm on April 11, 2003 Hancock Medical Center reserves the right to reect any and all bids. Published per resolution of the Board of Trustees Hancock Medical Center during the regular monthly meeting of 1/21/03

Robert H Baxter Secretary Aberl H Baxter Secretary Board of Trustees Hancock Medical Center By Bernard Chevaller Materials Management Hancock Medical Center 3/16; 3/20/03

Public Notices

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
HANCOCK COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF
HUMAN SERVICES, BY ZADIE ROGERS,
SOCIAL SERVICES REGIONAL DIRECTOR,
AND RENE FRANCIS MARQUES AND ALEXA
RENEE MARQUES, MINORS, BY AND
THROUGH THEIR NEXT FRIEND, ZADIE
ROGERS
VS

VS
RENEE FOSTER FOURROUX AND GEORGE
A MARQUES
CIVIL ACTION, FILE NO. 2003-115
CHANCERY COURT SUMMONS
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

THE STATE UP MISSISSIPPI
TO Renee Foster Fourroux, who is not to be found in the State of Mississippi on diligent inquiry and whose last known mailing address is c/o Salvation Army, 310 North Street, Pensacola, Florida 23505 Florida 32505

TO George A Marques who is not to be found in the State of Mississippi on diligent inquiry and whose post office address is not known to the

in the State of Mississippi on diligent inquiry and whose post office address is not known to the Petitioner after diligent inquiry. You have been made Respondents in the suit filed in this Court by the Hancock County Department of Human Services by Zadie Rogers, Social Services Regional Director, and, Rene Francis Marques and Alexa Renee Marques, seeking to terminate your parental rights as those rights relate to said minors and demanding that the full custody, control and authority to act on behalf of said minors be placed with the Hancock County Department of Human Services. YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR AND DEFEND AGAINST THE PETITION FILED AGAINST YOU IN THIS ACTION AT 9:30 O'CLOCK AM ON THE 7TH DAY OF MAY, 2003. IN THE COURTROOM OF THE HANCOCK COUNTY CHANCERY COURTHOUSE AT BAY ST LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI, AND IN CASE OF YOUR FAILURE TO APPEAR AND DEFEND. A JUDGMENT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE PETITION. IN THE PETITION
You are not required to file an answer or other pleading, but you may do so if you desire
ISSUED under my hand and seal of said Court,
this 12 day of March, 2003
(SEAL)

(SEAL)
TIMOTHY A KELLAR CHANCERY CLERK

HANCOCK COUNTY MISSISSIPPI BAY ST LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI 39521 BY Larrinell Scarborough Deputy Clerk
M Earl Scales
Special Assistant Attorney General
Office of the Attorney General P O Box 220 Jackson, Mississippi 39205-0220 Telephone No : 359-4216 MSB#8393 03/20, 03/27, 04/03/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
HANCOCK COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF
HUMAN SERVICES, BY ZADIE ROGERS,
SOCIAL SERVICES REGIONAL DIRECTOR,
AND ERIKA M. PAGE AND DEVON J. DUFFY,
MINORS, BY AND THROUGH THEIR NEXT
FRIEND, ZADIE ROGERS PETITIONERS
VS.

VS.
MICHELLE J. PAGE AND
JASON E. DUFFY
RESPONDENTS
CIVIL ACTION, FILE NO. 2003-175
CHANCERY COURT SUMMONS
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO Jason E Duffy, who is not to be found in the State of Mississippi on diligent inquiry and whose post office address is not known to the Petitioners after diligent inquiry made by said Petitioners. You have been made a Respondent in the suit liled in this Court by the Hancock County Department of Human Services by Zadie Rogers, Social filed in this Court by the Hancock County Department of Human Services by Zadie Rogers. Social Services Regional Director, and, Erika M. Page and Devon J. Duffy, minors, seeking to terminate your parental rights as those rights relate to said minors and demanding that the full custody, control and authornty to act on behalf of said minors be placed with the Hancock County Department of Human Services. Respondent other than you in this action is Michelle J. Page.
YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR AND DEFEND AGAINST. THE PETITION AT 9:30 C'CLOCK A.M. ON THE 1ST DAY OF MAY.
2003, IN THE COURTROOM OF THE HANCOCK COUNTY CHANCERY COURTHOUSE AT BAY ST LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI, AND IN CASE OF YOUR FAILURE TO APPEAR AND DEFEND. A JUDGMENT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE PETITION.
You are not required to file an answer or other pleading, but you may do so if you desire. ment of Human Services by Zadie Rogers

pleading, but you may do so if you desire ISSUED under my hand and seal of said Court, this 5 day of March, 2003.

TIMOTHY A KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK IMOTHY A RELLAN, CHANCENT CLERN
HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
BAY ST LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI 39521
M Earl Scales, MSB/#8393
Special Assistant Attorney General
Office of the Attorney General

Jackson, Mississippi 39205-0220

03/13. 03/20. 03/27/03

NOTICE TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS OF HANCOCK COUNTY AND ADJOINING COUNTIES

AND ADJOINING COUNTES

Notice is hereby given that the City of Bay St
Louis, Mississippi shall receive proposals from financial institutions for the purpose of keeping the
City Funds or any part thereof for a period of two
years pursuant to Section 27-105-353. Mississipyears pursuant to Section 27-105-353. Mississippi Code of 1972 and all amendments thereto Proposals are to be delivered or mailed to the City Clerk, P O Box 2550. Bay St Louis, Missispipi 39520 on or before the 8th day of April. 2003. The City of Bay St Louis reserves the right to reject any and all proposals Witness my signature this the 17th day of March 2003

ert J. Parker City Clerk 03/20, 03/23/03

TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS, on October 7, 1999, Ina Lee Lind Bryant, executed a Deed of Trust to Lem Adams. Ill. Trustee for the use and benefit of Nations Mortgage of LA Inc. A Louisiana Corporation which Deed of Trust is on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County.

Mississippi, in Deed of Trust Book 572 at Page

Mississippi, in Deed of Trust Book 572 at Page 392 thereof, and WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust was ultimately assigned to Wells Fargo Bank Minnesota, National Association, FKA Norwest Bank Minnesota, National Association, as Trustee, for the registered Holders of Option One Mortgage Loan Trust 1999-C, Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 1999 Characteristics the series and of record in 1999-C. by assignment on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Book 740 at Page 482

the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Book 740 at Page 482 thereof, and WHEREAS, default having been made in the performance of the conditions and stipulations as set forth by said Deed of Trust, and having been requested by the legal holder of the indebtedness secured and described by said Deed of Trust so the policy is thereby given that I Lem Adams. to do, notice is hereby given that I, Lem Adams.

III, Trustee, by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in said Deed of Trust, will offer for sale upon me in said Deed of Trust, will offer for sale and will sell at public sale and outcry to the high-est and best bidder for cash, during the legal hours (between the hours of 11 oclock a m and 4 oclock p m) at the North front door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County. Mississipp, on the 21st day of March, 2003, the following described land and property being the same ing described land and property being the same land and property described in said Deed of Trust, situated in Hancock County. State of Mis-

Trust, situated in Hancock County. State of Mississippi. to-will Beginning at a stake 264 degrees East of the Northwest corner of the Southeast one quarter of the Northeast one quarter of Section 1. Township 8 South, Range 15 West, thence run South 665 feet to a stake, thence run North 665 feet to a stake, thence run North 665 feet to a stake, thence run West 132 feet to the Point of Beginning Swid Jackes more for ning Said land containing two (2) acres, more or less, and being part of the Southeast one quarter of Northeast one quarter of Section 1, Township 8 South, Range 15 West, Hancock County, Mis-

sissippi
Title to the above described property is believed
to be good, but I will convey only such title as is
vested in me as Trustee
WITNESS my signature, on this the 18th day of February, 2003.

PREPARED BY ADAMS & EDENS PHEPARED BY ADAMS & EDER Foreclosure Department POST OFFICE BOX 400 BRANDON, MISSISSIPPI 39043 (601) 825-9508 02/27, 03/06, 03/13, 03/20/03

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S SALE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK

I, Nicholas M. Haas, Substituted Trustee in Deed of Trust from Terry Carroll assigned to Wanda L. Haas, Beneficiary, dated 7/13/01, recorded in Book 642, Page 595. Records of Morgages and Deeds of Trust on Land of Hancock Cou ssippi, being requested by holder on the debt secured to foreclose same, for default therein, secured to foreclose same, for default interent, will on April 11, 2003, during legal hours, ofter for sale and sell at public outcry for cash to the highest and best bidder at the front door of the Courbouse of said County, the real property described

Lot 16, Block 2, SPANISH ACRES ESTATES Lot 16, Block 2, SPANISH ACRES ESTATES SUBDIVISION, a Subdivision of Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official map thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, being the property described in said Deed of Trust. The undersigned was substituted as Trustee by instrument dated 3/10/03, recorded in Book 746, Page 257, of safid Deed of Trust Record. I

Public Notices

Substituted Trustee. ADVERTISED, POSTED and SIGNED this, the 12th day of March, 2003.

Nicholas M Haas NICHOLAS M. HAAS, ESCUIRE

Attorney at Law 624 Highway 90 Waveland, MS 39576 Telephone: (228) 467-3935 MSB NO.: 5090 3/20; 3/27; 4/03; 4/10/03

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S SALE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK I, Nicholas M. Haas, Substituted Trustee in Deed of Trust form Joseph Cassard and Carolyn Keile to John S. Lange, Beneficiary, dated 9/12/96 recorded in Book 486, Pags 307, Records of Mongages and Deeds of Trust on Land of Hancock County, Mississippi, being requested by holder on the debt secured to foreclose same for default therein, will on April 11, 2003, during legal hours, ofter for sale and sell at public outcry for cash to the highest and best bidder at the front door of the Courlhouse of said County, the real property described as.

property described as.

Apartment 240, in Building J. of the DIAMOND-HEAD CONDOMINIUM No. 1. Amended Plat of Apartment 240, in Building J, of the DIAMONUHEAD CONDOMINIUM No. 1. Amended Plat of FAIRWAY 12, Condominium Complex, Lot °C as recorded in Plat Book No 4, at Pages 46-47 inclusive, and according to the Declaration there of dated August 14, 1972, and recorded in Deed Book X-8 at Pages 7-29, re-recorded on the 15th day of December, 1972, in Book Y-1 at Pages 92-115 and amendments thereto dated 15th day of December 1972 and recorded in Deed Book Y-1 at Pages 116-119 of the Public Records on file and of record in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi being the property described in said Deed of Trust. The undersigned was substituted as Trustee by instrument dated March 11, 2003, recorded in Book 746, Page 427, of said Deed of Trust Records I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee ADVERTISED POSTED, and SIGNED this, the 14th day of March, 2003

Nicholas M Haas

Nicholas M Haas SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE NICHOLAS M HAAS, ESQUIRE Attorney at Law 624 41---Attorney at Law 624 Highway 90 Waveland, MS 39576 Telephone. (228) 467-3935 MSB NO - 5090 3/20, 3/27; 4/03; 4/10/03

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK WHEREAS, on the 21st day of October 1999 William K Clendenon, Patricia L Clendenon husband and wife, executed and delivered a certain Deed of Trust unto Jeff Surratt, Trustee for Green Tree Financial Servicing Corporation. Beneficiary, to secure an indebtedness therein described, which Deed of Trust is recorded in the office of the Chancey Clerk of Hancock County office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County Mississippi in Book 572 at Page 209; and

Mississippi in Book 572 at Page 209: and WHEREAS on the 12th day of July. 2002. the holder of said Deed of Trust substituted and appointed John C. Morris, III. as Trustee in said Deed of Trust. by instrument recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Book 706 at Page 3 and re-recorded in Book 707 at Page 473: and WHEREAS, default having been made in the successite of the indebtedness secured by the payments of the indebtedness secured by the said Deed of Trust, and the holder of said Deed said Deed of Trust, and the holder of said Deed of Trust, having requested the undersigned so to do, on the 21st day of March. 2003, I will, during legal hours, at public outcry, offer for sale and will sell, at the Main front door of the Hancock County Courthouse at Bay St Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest bidder, the following described land and property situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, to-view.

and property situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit
LOT 15 AND 16, BLOCK 9, OAK HARBOR SUBDIVISION, AS PER THE OFFICIAL PLAT OF
SAID SUBDIVISION ON FILE AND OF RECORD
IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE
CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY.
MISSISSIPPI, IN PLAT BOOK 32, PAGES 17-20
PARCEL ID: 185P1-20-102.00
I will only convey such title as is vested in me as
Substitute Trustee
WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this 19th day of
February, 2003.

February, 2003. JOHN C. MORRIS, III SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE 2309 OLIVER RD MONBOE LA 71201 02/27; 03/06, 03/13, 03/20/03

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S SALE STATE OF MISSISSIPP COUNTY OF HANCOCK

COUNTY OF HANCOCK
I. Nicholas M. Haas, Substituted Trustee in Deed of Trust from Mimi D. Cloud to John S. Lange. Beneficiary. dated 12/27/96, recorded in Book 471, Page 400, Records of Mortgage and Deeds of Trust on Land of Hancock County, Mississippi, being requested by holder on the debt secured to foreclose same, for default therein, will on April 11, 2003, during legal hours, offer for sale and sell at public outcry for cash to the highest and best bidder at the front door of the Courthouse of saud County, the real property described as: said County, the real property described as: Lot 32. Block 3, Unit 8, DIAMONDHEAD. Phase Lot 32. Block 3, Unit 8, DIAMONDHEAD. Phase 2, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 4 at Pages 51-52 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi being the property described in said Deed of Trust. The undersigned was substituted as Trustee by instrument dated March 11, 2003, recorded in Book 746, Page 429, of said Deed of Trust Records. Juli convey only such title as its vested in cords I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee ADVERTISED. POSTED, and SIGNED this, the 14th day of March. 2003

Nicholas M. Haas SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE NICHOLAS M. HAAS, ESQUIRE Attorney at Law 624 Highway 90 Waveland MS 39576 Telephone (228) 467-3935 MSB NO 5090

NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS, the United States of America, acting by and through the United States Department of Agriculture, is the owner and holder of the following real estate deed(s) of trust securing an indebtedness therein mentioned and covering certain real estate hereinafter described located in Hancock County, Mississippi, said deed(s) of trust being duly recorded in the Office of the Chancery Clerk in and for said County and State GRANTORS Louis J Dunklin and wife Lisa M

3/20, 3/27, 4/03, 4/10/03

DUNKIIN DATE EXECUTFD June 30, 1982 TRUST DEED BOOK 243 PAGE 590 WHEREAS, default has occurred in the paymen of the indebtedness secured by said deed(s) of trust, and the United States of America, as Beneficiary, has authorized and instructed me as Substitute Trustee to foreclose said deed(s) of trust by advertisement and sale at public auction ordance with the statutes made and provid THEREFORE notice is hereby given that pur-suant to the power of sale contained in said deed(s) of trust and in accordance with the stat-

utes made and provided therefor, deed(s) of trust will be foreclosed and the proper ty covered thereby and hereinafter described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the North front door of the cash at the North front door of the County Counthouse in the city of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, in the aforesaid County and will sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11 00 AM and 400 PM) on April 7, 2003, to satisfy the indebtedness now due under and secured by said deed(s) I will convey only such title as is vested in me as

Substitute Trustée The premises to be sold are described as (SEE ATTACHED LEGAL DESCRIPTION) March 13, 2003

Carol M Cowart
Substitute Trustee
Duly authorized to act in the premises by instrument dated August 21, 1996, and recorded in Book 1, Page 7, of the records of the aforesaid County and State Lot 12, Phase 1, VALPINE SUBDIVISION, City of

Lot 12, Phase 1, VALPINE SUBDIVISION, City of Bay St. Louis Hancock County, Mississippi, as per map or plat of said subdivision on file in the office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi 03/13, 03/20, 03/27, 04/03/03

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF Hancock WHEREAS, on the 7th day of February, 2000. Brandy Dawn Gurchet and Husband Craig Michael Guichet, as estate in the entirety with rights of survivorship and not as tenants in common, executed and delivered a certain Deed of Trust unto Doug E Flavin, Trustee for Advanta National Bank, Beneficiary, to secure an indebt-edness therein described, which Deed of Trust is recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi in Book 582 at Page 475, and Page 475, and WHEREAS, on the 25th day of November, 2002.

WHEREAS, on the 25th day of November, 2002.
Advanta National Bank by Chase Manhattan
Mortgage Corporation as Attorney-in-Fact,
assigned said Deed of Trust unto Deutsche Bank
National Trust Company, as custodian or trustee.
FKA Bankers Trust Company of California, N.A.
by instrument recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Book 730 at Page 483,
and

and WHEREAS on the 6th day of December. 2002. the holder 6f said Deed of Trust substituted and appointed John C. Morris III, as Trustee in said Deed of Trust, by instrument recorded in the office of the aforesald Chancery Clerk in Book

WHEREAS, payments of said Deed of of Trust, havi do, on the 4th legal hours, at sell, at the Ma Courthouse at Courthouse a to the highest and property slopl, to-wit: Lots 13 and Subdivision of the Town of sippi, as per the file and of rec Clerk of Hanco Clerk of Hanco
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4425 Park To e-mail: dwsd 03/16; 03/20 WHEREAS, default having been made in the payments of the indebtedness secured by the sald Deed of Trust, and the holder of said Deed of Trust, having requested the undersigned so to do, on the 4th day of April, 2003. I will, during legal hours, at public outcry, offer for sale and will sell, at the Main front door of the Hancock County Courthouse at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest bidder, the following described land and property situated in Hancock County, Mississolo, to-wit:

and properly smatted in Hancock County, Missis-slop), fo-wit:

Lots 13 and 14, Block 1, Guif-side Association's Subdivision of Lot No. 175 of the Third Ward of the Town of Waveland, Hancock County, Missis-slop), as per the official plat of said subdivision on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi.

I will only convey such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this 7th day of March, 2003.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK
WHEREAS, on April 9, 2001, Katherine J. Haas
executed a Deed of Trust favoring the undersigned, as Trustee for the benefit of James K.
Wetzel and Gamett Ann Wetzel, to secure an
indebtedness therein described, which Deed of
Trust has been heretofore filed among the land
records in the office of the Chancery Clerk of
Hancock County, Mississippi, in Deed of Trust
Book 627, at Page 570 thereof, full and complete
reference thereto being hereby made for all our-

poses, and WHERAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions regarding payments of indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the provisions of said Deed of Trust, and the legal holders of said Deed of Trust and the indebtedness evidenced therein having reguest.

legal holders of said Deed of Trust and the indebtedness evidenced therein having requestionable to execute the trust and sell said land and property pursuant to the terms of said Deed of Trust for the purpose of traising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, trustee's fees and expenses of sale. NOW THEREFORE, I, Thad Henley, Trustee in the Deed of Trust aforesaid will. on April 11, 2003, during legal hours (between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m.), at public outcry offer for sale and will sell at the front door of

cry offer for sale and will sell, at the front door of the Hancock County Courthouse at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest and best bidder, the following described land and property situated within Hancock County, Missis-

property situated within Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit:
Commencing at a stake 688 feet South of and 20 feet West of the NW corner of the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 30, Township 7 South, Range 14 West; thence North 33 degrees West 242.5 feet to a stake set for the Place of Beginning of the land referenced herein; thence North 56 degrees East 180 feet to a stake; thence South 56 degrees East 120.5 feet to a stake; thence South 56 degrees West 180 feet, more or less, to a stake set on the West leg of the property described herein; thence North 33 degrees West 121.25 feet, more or less, to the Place of Beginning, being part of the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 30, Township 7 South, Range 14 West, and part of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 25, Township 7 South, Range 15 West, Hancock County, Mississispi.

will sell and convey only such title as is vested

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this the 11th day of

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS, on May 17, 1999, Julius V Luciano and wife, Rose M. Luciano, executed a Deed of Trust to Barbara Zirilli. Trustee for the use and benefit of GMAC Mortgage Corporation, which Deed, of Trust is on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Deed of Trust Book 552 at Page 147 thereof, and

Mississippi, in Deed of Trust Book 552 at Page 747 thereof; and WHEREAS, the legal holder of the said Deed of Trust and the note secured thereby, substituted Lem Adams, Ill, as Trustee therein, as authorized by the terms thereof, by instrument recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Book 737 at Page 583, thereof, and WHEREAS, default having been made in the performance of the conditions and stipulations as set forth by said Deed of Trust, and having been

set forth by said Deed of Trust, and having been

requested by the legal holder of the indebtedness secured and described by said Deed of Trust so to do, notice is hereby given that I. Lem Adams. III, Substitute Trustee, by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in said Deed of Trust, will ofter for sale and will sell at public sale and outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, during the legal hours (between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m.) at the North front foor of the Courty Courthouse of Hancock

door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 21st day of March, 2003, the following described land and properly being the same land and properly described in said Deed of Trust, situated in Hancock County.

said Deed of Trust, situated in Hancock County. State of Mississippi, to-wit. Lots 19, 20, and 21. Block 43, Bay St. Louis Land and Improvement Company's Subdivision of part of the Bay St Louis Land and Improvement Company's First Addition to the City of Bay St Louis and Waveland, as per the official plat of said subdivision made by Leland J. Henderson, Surveyor, dated April 27. 1897, and on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi Title to the above described property is believed to be good, but I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee WITNESS my signature, on this the 18th day of February, 2003.

WHEREAS, on February 14, 2001. Yvonne E White and husband, Danny R White, executed a Deed of Trust to Lem Adams, III. Trustee for the use and benefit of Option One Mortgage Corporation, which Deed of Trust is on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Deed of Trust Book 620 at Page 394 thereof; and WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust was assigned to Wells Fargo Bank Minnesota, N.A., as Trustee for registered holders of Option One Mortgage Loan Trust 2001-A, Asset Backed Certificates Series 2001-A, by assignment on file and of re-

Series 2001-A, Asset Backed Certificates Series 2001-A, by assignment on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Book 690 at Page 437 thereof; and

cock County, Mississippi, in Book 690 at Page 437 thereof; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the performance of the conditions and stipulations as set torth by said Deed of Trust, and having been requested by the legal holder of the indebtedness secured and described by said Deed of Trust so to do, notice is hereby given that I, Lem Adams. III, Trustee, by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in said Deed of Trust, will offer for sale

upon me in said Deed of Trust, will offer for sale and will sell at public sale and outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, during the legal hours (between the hours of 11 o'clock a m and 4 o'clock p m.) at the North front door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County, Missispip, on the 11th day of April, 2003, the following described land and properly being the same land

described land and property being the same land and property described in said Deed of Trust, sit-uated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi.

to-wit:
Lots14 and 15, Square 616, SHORELINE PARK
SUBDIVISION, Unit No 6, Addition No 3, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official plat
of said subdivision on file in the office of the Clerk
of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, and recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 44
Title At the above described recordy is believed.

TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

February, 2003. LEM ADAMS, III SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE PREPARED BY, ADAMS & EDENS

BRANDON, MISSISSIPPI 39043

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Thad Henley, Trustee P O Box 1118. Gulfport, MS 39502 Ph 228/575-9099

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March, 2003.
JOHN C. MORRIS, III
SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE
2309 OLIVER ROAD
MONROE, LA 71201

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Request for proposal 03-15.

Clean and paint a portion of the exterior of a 500,000 gallon water tank, Work extends to approx. 50 feet above gr. 1 level. Approximately 5,000 square feet. Blouers must be bonded and insured. Bids due no later than 10:00 a m. April 18, 2003. Work scope details available at District Office.

General Manager Diamondhead Water& Sewer District 4425 Park Ten Dr. Diamondhead, MS 39525 e-mail: dwsd@cableone.net 03/16; 03/20; 03/23; 03/27/03

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SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK
WHEREAS, on the 29th day of December, 1995,
Prima Luke, A Single Person, executed and
delivered a certain Deed of Trust unto William F.
Jones, Trustee for Magnolia Federal Bank for
Savings, Beneficiary, to secure an indebtedness
therein described, which Deed of Trust is recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock
County, Mississippi in Book 445 at Page 116 and
re-recorded in Book 473 at Page 194; and
WHEREAS, on the 19th day of July, 2002, Union
Planters Bank N.A. FKA Magnolia Federal Bank
for Savings FKA Magnolia Federal Savings &
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Company, assigned said Deed of Trust unto Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corporation, by
instrument recorded in the office of the aforesaid
Chancery Clerk in Book 706 at Page 598; and
WHEREAS on the 2nd day of August, 2002, the
holder of said Deed of Trust substituted and
appointed John C. Morris, III, as Trustee in said
Deed of Trust, by instrument recorded in the
office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Book
706 at Page 600, and
WHEREAS, default having been made in the

office of the atoresaid Chancery Clerk In, Book 706 at Page 600; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the payments of the indebtedness secured by the said Deed of Trust, and the holder of said Deed of Trust, having requested the undersigned so to do, on the 28th day of March , 2003, I will, during legal hours, at public outcry, offer for sale and will sell, at the Main front door of the Hancock County Courthouse at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest bidder, the following described land and property situated in Hancock County, Missisand property situated in Hancock County, Missis-

and property situated in Hancock County, Mississippl, to-wit:
LOTS 1 AND 2, Block 2, AUDREY PLACE,
FOURTH WARD, TOWN OF WAVELAND,
HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, AS PER
THE OFFICIAL MAP OR PLAT THEREOF ON
FILE AND OF RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF
THE CHANCERY CLERK OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI. I will only convey such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this 25th day of

JOHN C. MORRIS, III SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE 2309 OLIVER RD MONROE, LA 71201 318-330-9020

03/06; 03/13; 03/20; 03/27/03

COUNTY OF HANCOCK

TRUSTEES NOTICE OF SALE TRUSTEES NOTICE OF SALE
WHEREAS. on the 30th day of April, 2001,
William G. Lumpkin and wife, Shannon K. Lumpkin, executed a Deed of Trust to Chartene Roberts. Trustee for the benefit of Stuart Company,
which Deed of Trust is recorded in Land Trust
Deed Book 631, Pages 539-541, in the office of
the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississiopi, and

sippi, and WHEREAS, default having been made in the WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust and Stuart Company, a Mississippi Corporation, the holder of the Note and Deed of Trust having requested the undersigned Trustee, so to do, I will on the 4th day of April, 2003, offer for sale at public outcry and sell during the legal hours, between 11:00 a.m. oʻclock and 4:00 p.m. oʻclock, at the Front Door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest bidder, the following described property lying and being situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, being more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 128, Deer Park Subdivision, Phase III, a subdivision according to the official map or plat

division according to the official map or plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Plat Book 8 at Page 39 thereof, reference to which is hereby made in aid of and as a part of

this description.

I will convey only such title as vested in me as Trustee WITNESS my signature, upon this, the 7th day of March. 2003, A.D CHARLENE ROBERTS,

03/13; 03/20; 03/27; 04/03/03 NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE WHEREAS, on October 15, 1998, Charles David Mauffray and Marietta A. Mauffray executed and delivered a Dead of Trust to Harry R. Allen, Trustee for Hancock Mortgage Corporation, which Deed of Trust is recorded in Deed of Trust Book 529 at Page 523 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississispip; and WHEREAS said Deed of Trust was assigned to Trustmark National Bank by Assignment dated October 15, 1998, and recorded in Deed of Trust Book 529 at Page 530 in the aforesaid office: and WHEREAS. Trustmark National Bank appointed Gerald M Warren as Substitute Trustee by instrument dated February 13, 2003, filled February, 24, 2003, and recorded in Deed of Trust Book 743 at Page 375 of the aforesaid records; and WHEREAS, on June 5, 2002, and Order for relief under 13 U.S.C. Chapter 13 was entered by the under 11 U.S.C. Chapter 13 was entered by the

United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Mississippi, in Case Number 02-52796 SEG by Petition filed by Charles David Mauffray and Marietta A. Mauffray, and WHEREAS, on November 20, 2002, Edward R. Gaines, United States Bankruptcy Judge, signed an Agreed Order directing Debtor(s) to make and maintain certain monthly payments on the Deed of Trust referenced herein, in the absence of which the stay imposed by Section 362 of the Bankruptcy Code would automatically lift without United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern

Bankruptcy Code would automatically lift without further hearings or pleadings before the Court; whEREAS, Debtor(s) failed to comply with the aforementioned Order and the stay imposed by Section 362 of the Bankruptcy Code automatical-

ly lifted, and WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, which default has continued for a period of time nece_aary for the holder to declare the entire unpaid balance immediately due and payable, and Trustmark National Bank, the holder of the Deed of Trust as aforesaid, having repayable, and Trustmark National Bank, the holder of the Deed of Trust as aforesaid, having requested the undersigned Substitute Trustee so to do. I will on the 3rd day of April, 2003, offer for sale at public outcry and sell during the legal hours, being between the hours of 11:00 o'clock a m and 4:00 o'clock p.m., at the North front door of the Hancock County Courthouse in Bay St Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest and best bidder, the following described land and property lying and being situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: PARCEL 1 Commencing at the northeast corner of the South 3/4 of Lot 2, Section 22, Township 7 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi, and run North 89 degrees 42 minutes West to 78.9 feet to a fence post marking the point of beginning Thence run North 89 degrees 42 minutes West to 360 feet to an iron in fence; thence run South 412.2 feet to an iron in fence; thence run South 89 degrees 10 minutes East

thence run South 412.2 feet to an iron in fence; thence run South 89 degrees 10 minutes East along a fence line for 356 12 feet to a fence corner thence run North 00 degrees 31 minutes East for 415 4 feet to the point of beginning. Said land containing 34 acres, more or less, and being part of Lot 2, of Section 22, Township 7 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi

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PARCEL 2 Also, a non-exclusive easement for PÄRCEL 2 Also, a non-exclusive easement for ingress and egress to and from hereinabove property described as follows. Point of beginning being Northeast corner of the South 3/4 of Lot 2, Section 22, Township 7 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi, and thence run North 89 degrees 42 minutes West along a fence for 78 9 feet to a fence post; thence run South 00 degrees 31 minutes West for 20 feet; thence run South 89 degrees 42 minutes East for 78.9 feet; thence run North for 20 feet to the point of beginning Said parcel being an easement of 20 feet in width and 78.9 feet long, and being part of the South 3/4 of Lot 2, Section 22, Township 7 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Missis-South, Range 14 West. Hancock County, Missis-

sippi I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee WITNESS my signature this 6th day of March, GERALD M WARREN,

Gerald M Warren Attorney at Law P 0 Box 1506

Gulfport, MS 39502 MS Bar No 06963 03/13; 03/20, 03/27/03

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE UP SALE WHEREAS, on October 30, 2000, Douglas K. McGowen, Jr. and Angela M. McGowen, executed a certain deed of trust to Joseph Kelly, Trustee for the benefit of Associates Home Equity Services, which deed of trust is of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, State of Mississippi in Book 609 at Page 436;

whereas, Citifinancial Mortgage Company, Inc. t/k/a Associates Home Equity Services, has

inc. It/Via Associates Home Equity Services, has heretofore substituted J. Gary Massey as Trustee by instrument dated April 15, 2002 and recorded in the aforesaid Chancery Clerk's Office in Book 689 at Page 2. and re-recorded in Book 690 at Page 547; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said deed of trust and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, Cilifinancial Mortgage Company, Inc., the legal holder of said indebtedness, having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and properly in accordance with the terms of said-deed of trust and for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, trustee's fees and expense of sale.

sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, J. Gary Massey, Substi-tuted Trustée in said deed of trust, will on March 21, 2003 offer for sale at public outcry and sell

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within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.), at the Main door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County, located at Bay Saint Louis, Missisaippl, to the highest and best bidder for cash the following described property situated in Hancock County, State of Missisaippl, fo-will:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of the SW1/4 of the SE1/4, Section 33, Township 6 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi; thence North 35 feet to the Point of Beginning; thence continuing North 330 feet to a point; thence West 660 feet to a point; thence South 330 feet to a point; thence East 660 feet to the Point of Beginning; containing 6 acres, more or less, and being part of the SW1/4 of Set1/4. Section 33, Township 6 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippl, and Intellect of Section 33, Township 6 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippl, being 17.5 feet on either side of the center line described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the NW corner of the SE1/4 of Set1/4. Section 33, Township 6 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippl, and running East 320.8 feet for the place of beginning; thence North 11 degrees 49' East 104.6 feet; thence North 36 degrees 39' East 291.5 feet; thence North 10 degrees 28' East 104.6 feet; thence North 10 degrees 39' East 291.5 feet; thence North 10 degrees 39' East 104.6 feet; thence North 10 degrees 39

as Substituted Trustee.
WITNESS MY SIGNATURE on February 21,

J. Gary Massey SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE Shapiro & Massey, L.L.P. 1910 Lakeland Drive, Suite B Jackson, MS 39216 (601) 981-9299 02/27; 03/06; 03/13; 03/20/03

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE WHEREAS, on April 30, 2001, Ronald E. Miley, Jr. and Leslie D. Miley executed and delivered a Dead of Trust to Harry R. Allen, Trustee for Hancock Montgage Corporation, which Deed of Trust is recorded in Deed of Trust Book 631 at Page 179 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County Miseissing and cock County, Mississippi; and WHEREAS said Deed of Trust was assigned to

WHEREAS said Deed of Trust was assigned to Trustmark National Bank by Assignment dated April 30, 2001, and recorded in Deed of Trust Book 631 at Page 198 in the aforesaid office; and WHEREAS, Trustmark National Bank appointed Gerald M. Warren as Substitute Trustee by in-strument dated February 20, 2003, filed February 27, 2003, and recorded in Deed of Trust Book 744 at Page 224 of the aforesaid records; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, which default has continued for a period of trust, which default has continued for a period of trust, which default has continued for a period of trust, which default has continued for a period of trust and the said of the said security of the processory for the holder to declare. payment of the indeptedness secured by said Deed of Trust, which default has continued for a period of time necessary for the holder to declare the entire unpaid balance immediately due and payable, and Trustmark National Bank, the holder of the Deed of Trust as aforesaid, having requested the undersigned Substitute Trustee so to do, I will on the 3rd day of April, 2003, offer for sale at public outcry and sell during the legal hours, being between the hours of 11:00 o'clock a.m. and 4:00 o'clock p.m., at the North front door of the Hancock County Courthouse in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest and best bidder, the following described land and property lying and being situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot Thirty-six (36) and Thirty-seven (37), Block Four (4), Unit Eight (8), DIAMONDHEAD, Phase 2, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per map or plat of said subdivision on file and of record in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi.

will convey only such title as is vested in me as WITNESS my signature this 6th day of March,

GERALD M. WARREN, Substitute Trustee Gerald M. Warren

Attorney at Law P. 0. Box 1506 Gulfport, MS 39502 MS Bar No. 06963 03/13: 03/20: 03/27/03

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK

TRUSTEES NOTICE OF SALE TRUSTEES NOTICE OF SALE
WHEREAS, on the 3rd day of March, 1997.
William R. O'Daniel and wife Ruth O'Daniel, executed a Deed of Trust to Charlene Roberts,
Trustee for the benefit of Stuart Company, which
Deed of Trust is recorded in Land Trust Deed
Book 476, Pages 224-227-A, in the office of the
Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi;
and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust and Stuart Company, a Mississippi Corporation, the holder of the Note and Deed of Corporation, the holder of the Note and Deed of Trust having requested the undersigned Trustee, so to do, I will on the 4th day of April, 2003, offer for sale at public outcry and sell during the legal hours, between 11:00 a.m. o'clock and 4:00 p.m. o'clock, at the Front Door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest bidder, the following described property high and having situated in

sissippi, for cash to the highest bidder, the following described property lying and being situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, being more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commence at the SW corner of Lot 32, Deer Park Subdivision, Phase II, as per map or plat on file in the Hancock County Chancery Clerks Office: thence South 89 degrees 52 minutes 54 seconds East a distance of 420.00 feet to the true Point of Beginning; thence North 00 degrees 77 minutes 06 seconds East a distance of 362.19 feet to a point located on the South nght-of-way of a road; thence South 89 degrees 12 minutes 00 seconds East along said South right-of-way a distance of 205.14 feet to a point; thence South 00 degrees 12 minutes 22 seconds West a disdistance of 205.14 feel to a point; thence South 00 degrees 12 minutes 22 seconds West a distance of 359 75 feet to the SE corner of Lot 32. Deer Park Subdivision, Phase II, thence North 89 degrees 52 minutes 54 seconds West a distance of 204.58 feet to the Point of Beginning. The property contains 1.70 acres, more or less, and is a part of Lot 32 and Lot 31, Deer Park Subdivision, Phase II. The property is subject to a 10 foot utility easement along the North margin of the property.

I will convey only such title as vested in me as WITNESS my signature, upon this, the 7th day of March, 2003, A.D. CHARLENE ROBERTS.

03/13, 03/20; 03/27; 04/03/03 SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS, on April 26, 2001, Nikki S. Tingstrom, a single woman, executed a deed of trusto to David M. Necaise, trustee for the benefit of North Texas Financial Network, Inc., which dee of trust is recorded in Deed of Trust Book 630 at Page 797, corrected and re-recorded in Book 717 at Page 764 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi; and WHEREAS, the aforesaid deed of trust was assigned to Bank One, National Association, as Trustee by instrument dated April 26, 2001, and recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Book 655 at Page 79 and re-recorded in Book 655 at Page 79 and re-recorded in Book 655 at Page 79 and re-recorded in Book 727 at Page 697; and WHEREAS, the aforesaid, Bank One, National Association, as Trustee, the holder of said deed of trust and the note secured thereby, substituted John C. Underwood, Jr., as Trustee therein, as authorized by the terms thereof, by instrument dated January 23, 2003 and recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Cterk in Book 739 at Page 545; and of trust is recorded in Deed of Trust Book 630 at

739 at Page 545; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said deed of trust and the entire debt secured thereby, having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, and the legal with the terms of said deed of trust, and the legial holder of said indebtedness, Bank One, National Association, as Trustee, having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and property in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, Substituted Trustee's fees and expense of sale; NOW, THEREFORE, I, John C. Underwood, Jr.,

NOW, THEREFÖRE, I, John C. Underwood, Jr., Substituted Trustee, in said deed of trust, will on the 25th day of March, 2003, offer for sale at public outcry for cash to the highest bidder, and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M.) at the Main front door of the County Courthouse at Bay St. Louis, County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, the following described property situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, to-wit:
Lots 21, 22 and 23, Square 56, as per plat of the Bay St. Louis Land & Improvement Company's

Lots 21, 22 and 23, Square 56, as per plat of the Bay St. Louis Land & Improvement Company's Subdivision of part of the Bay St. Louis Land & Improvement Company's First Addition to Bay St. Louis and Waveland, Mississippl, said plat of said subdivision being dated April 27, 1897, and filled in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County Mississippl. County, Mississippi.

I WILL CONVEY only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this the 18th day of

John C. Underwood, Jr. SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE Control #02070901 02/27; 03/06; 03/13; 03/20/03

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SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS, on November 30, 1999, Donald O, Pinkstori and Peggy Ann Small Pinkston, executed a Deed of Trust to Randal A. Gomez, Trustee for the use and benefit of American Fidelity, Inc., which Deed of Trust is on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippl, in Deed of Trust Book 576 at Page 784 thereof; and WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust was assigned to The Provident Bank, by assignment on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippl, in Book 690 at Page 460 thereof; and

460 thereof; and WHEREAS, the legal holder of the said Deed of

WHEREAS, the legal holder of the said Deed of Trust and the note secured thereby, substituted Lem Adams, III, as Trustee therein, as authorized by the terms thereof, by instrument recorded in the office of the aloresaid Chancery Clerk in Book 690 at Page 462 thereof; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the performance of the conditions and stipulations as set forth by said Deed of Trust, and having been requested by the legal holder of the indebtedness secured and described by said Deed of Trust so to do, notice is hereby given that I, Lem Adams, III, Substitute Trustee, by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in said Deed of Trust, will ofer for sale and will sell at public sale and outcry conterred upon me in said Deed of Trust, will of-fer for sale and will sell at public sale and outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, during the legal hours (between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m.) at the North front door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County, Mis-sissippi, on the 11th day of April, 2003, the fol-lowing described land and property being the same land and property described in said Deed of Trust, situated in Hancock County, State of

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Mesissippi, to-wit:

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County, Mississippi.

Being the same property acquired by grantor herein from Elsie Stevens by deed dated September 23, 1908, as recorded in Book B8, Pages 411-412, Deed Records of Hancock County, Mississippi. scseppi.
Talle to the above described property is believed to be good, but I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee.
WITNESS my signature, on this the 14th day of

March, 2003. LEM ADAMS, III SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE PREPARED BY: ADAMS & EDENS Foreclosure Department POST OFFICE BOX 400 BRANDON, MISSISSIPPI 39043 (601) 825-9508 03/20; 03/27; 04/03; 04/10/03

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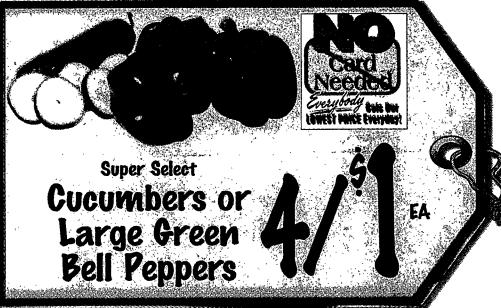
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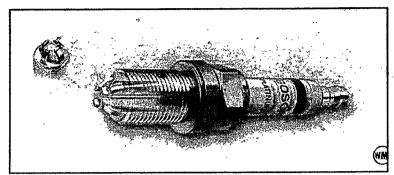
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Tune-Up Can Still Restore Performance, Mileage

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You almost certainly need a tune-up if your fuel mileage has gone to pot, if your car or truck is sluggish and appears to have lost its zip, if it is hard to start or you have failed an emission inspection," according to Martin Kashnowski, director of Product Management, Consumer Products, for Robert Bosch Corporation. "These are sure signs something is amiss under the hood, and you can expect a good tune-up to improve your vehicle's gasoline mileage, restore the performance and pleasure to your driving, make sure you pass that emissions inspection and possibly save your catalytic converter from costly replacement."

Basically, a tune-up today usually means: Inspecting and replacing the spark plugs; checking and replacing the spark plug wires;



TESTS SHOW installing premium spark plugs such as Bosch's multiple-electrode Platinum+4 improves fuel mileage by as much as 4.8 percent over original equipment plugs. This plug uses a platinum center electrode and multiple paths to generate a strong, consistent spark.

replacing oxygen sensors if mileage or driving patterns warrant; checking and replacing the distributor cap and rotor (if so equipped) if worn or cracked; inspecting and replacing air and fuel filters as needed; and verifying proper operation of various sensors and other electronic control devices.

But wait a minute. Isn't everything under the hood

supposed to last for 50,000 miles or more before replacement is needed? Well, maybe yes and maybe no. Many components today have a recommended replacement interval of 50,000 miles or more under ideal operating conditions -- the problem is, few of us drive under ideal operating conditions.

"NORMAL DRIVING" CAN PUNISH VEHICLES

"Short trip driving, carrying or pulling excess weight for extended periods or constant idling can prevent the spark plugs from getting hot enough to burn off deposits, causing them to foul,' Kashnowski said. "Fouled plugs or plugs whose electrodes are so worn they widen the air gap so much the plug will not fire properly. Your mechanic should replace the spark plugs if they're oil or carbon-fouled, if they're covered with deposits, or if the electrodes are noticeably worn.

Independent studies have shown that installing plugs such as the Bosch Platinum+4 can improve fuel mileage by nearly five percent, make the vehicle easier to start, and maintain superior performance for tens of thousands of tough, punishing miles, according to Kashnowski.

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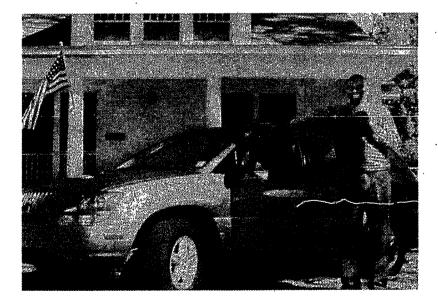
check the ignition wires, which carry the "juice" from the coil and distributor to each spark plug (some modern cars use distributorless ignition and direct coil packs for each cylinder that eliminate the need for spark plug wires).

"If your mechanic recommends replacing the ignition wires, low-resistance Mag core wires, such as Bosch Premium wire sets, are available for most applications and a good bet to ensure a strong spark and long life," says Chuck Ruth, director of Product Management, Engine Management Systems, for Bosch.

But be careful -- some manufacturers recommend replacing the coil whenever replacing ignition wires, to avoid the higher resistance in new wires from damaging

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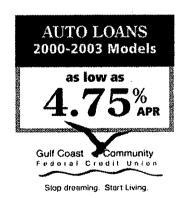
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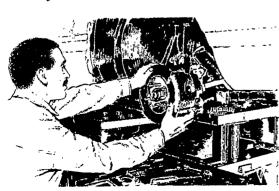
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* Look for signs of professionalism or achievement in the customer service area: civic and community service awards, membership in the Better Business Bureau, **AAA-Approved Auto Repair** status, Blue Seal of **Excellence Recognition** Program status and customer service awards.

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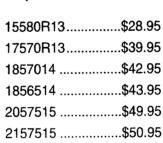
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this statistic jumps to one in every three vehicles.

All tires naturally lose air over time or more quickly if driven over a pothole or bumped into a curb; therefore it's important to check tire pressure at least once a month. The only proper way to check pressure is with a tire pressure gauge. A visual exam is not sufficient -many tires appear safe, even when they are under-inflat-

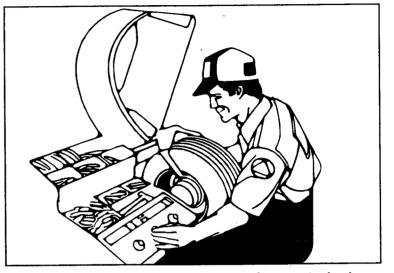
Look for tire information labels attached to your vehicle's door edge, the doorpost, inside the glove box door or under the trunk lid. These

sport utility and light trucks, labels will include the recommended tire size and tire pressure for your vehicle. The proper tire inflation pressure will be shown as a number of pounds per square inch (PSI).

Air pressure rises as your tires get warmer, but the manufacturer recommended air pressure for your tires is based on when they are cold. To ensure an accurate reading, you should check the pressure when the vehicle has not been driven for at least three hours.

If you are driving and think that a tire is underinflated, fill it to the recommended cold inflation pressure. While it may still be slightly under-inflated, it is safer to drive with air pressure that is just below recommendation than to drive with a significantly underinflated tire. Remember, this is only a temporary solution, so recheck and adjust the tire's pressure when you can obtain an accurate cold read-

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Another technology that may become more prevalent is run-flat tires, which are now available on various higher-end vehicles. These specially designed tires can support the weight of the vehicle even when deflated, such as when they are punctured. But because these tires don't appear "flat" even when air pressure is low, checking the air pressure regularly is critical. These tires also require special equipment and procedures for removal, installation or repair.

Recent tire concerns and resulting technology also point to the importance of having your vehicle repaired after an accident by a colli-

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Keep Your Car Looking Shiny and New

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There is no mistaking the appeal of a shiny new car. That fresh-from-the-show-room look turns heads and garners nods of approval. Yet, pollution, weather, scratches and a host of other pesky problems can soon leave your car's exterior looking dull and less appealing. Perhaps you'd think that waxing can help restore shine to your car. Well, not if you don't use the right product.

Many commonly used waxes can actually dull a new car's mirror finish. They use a combination of wax or silicone and a harsh abrasive polish which causes tiny scratches. The scratches can deflect light, ruin new paint and create an overall reduction in shine.

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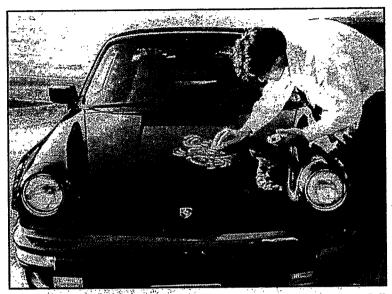
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BE CAREFUL WHEN YOU WAX – commonly used waxes can dull a new car's finish. Instead, use an abrasive-free car wax made with imported Carnauba.

again get that sparkling, fresh from the dealership shine.

The most effective waxes are made with imported Carnauba wax. Carnauba is found on a select group of palm trees that grow mainly in Brazil. The first car waxes were composed of this ingredient and were abrasive-free. As the costs of gathering and importing this natural wax skyrocketed, chemists created less expensive "wax-less" substitutes. Abrasives were then added to these new products. They were billed as the "lazy man's one-step car

polish." Unfortunately, they've never been able to equal the extreme high gloss and lasting power of pure Carnauba wax. The progression from Carnauba to manmade synthetics occurred over many years. Therefore, only astute consumers realized they were getting less shine for their money.

Today it is difficult to find an abrasive-free car wax containing the best grades of Carnauba. One company that markets a blend of Carnauba waxes is the Malm Chemical Corp. Their Carnauba wax contains no cleansers, polishes, abrasives or anything that can scratch paint. A quarter-pint of the concentrated liquid Carnauba will cover more cars than a full pint of most store-bought

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It has tips on the proper way to care for your car's finish. The offer is limited to one bottle per customer and will soon expire. The wax is backed by a strong guarantee: If you don't think it outshines anything you've ever used on your car, return it for a full refund of your \$9.99.

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Tune-up

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the ignition module.

Another critical component in keeping today's vehicles running properly is the oxygen sensor.

Oxygen sensors located in the exhaust system monitor the unburned hydrocarbons and oxygen in the exhaust and send signals to the engine's computer, which uses this information to maintain the proper mixture of fuel and air fed to the engine," Ruth said. Replacing a sluggish or defective sensor can improve fuel economy from 10 to 15 percent and pay for itself in a year in fuel savings alone, while restoring your vehicle's emissions to proper levels. It can also reduce the chances of an overly rich fuel mixture damaging your catalytic converter.

Ignition components such as the distributor rotor and distributor cap, which direct the flow of electricity to the spark plugs, must work properly if the spark plugs are to fire when they are supposed to -- or fire at all. If

in doubt, replacing the distributor cap and rotor is simple and inexpensive insurance against poor performance and fuel economy as well as potential engine fail-

Replacing the air filter and crankcase breather filters is a normal part of any tune-up and of course, tests should be conducted on all electronic control devices and sensors to make sure they are operating properly.

"Only time will tell whether you will be aware of all the improvements, but every day your car or truck starts easily, accelerates smoothly to highway speeds, uses significantly less fuel and is in compliance with emissions requirements, you will be reaping the benefits," said Kashnowski.

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Common Questions About Synthetic Motor Oil

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In recent years, there has been a steady rise in the use are refined from crude oil of synthetic motor oils because of their superior performance benefits. What follows is a presentation of information on synthetic motor oils and lubricants courtesy of AMSOIL INC., a manufacturer of the first synthetic motor oil for automobiles in 1972.

synthetic motor oil?

A: Conventional lubricants which has thousands of types of molecules. Refining is a process of physically separating the impurities from the oil and further separating the light and heavy components. Because refining separates products by weight, it groups molecules of similar weight and dissimilar structure. The result is a lubricant Q: What is the difference with an assortment of molebetween conventional and cules. Some of the substances

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in crude oil are detrimental to lubrication. Paraffins, for example, are a common conventional oil contaminant that causes motor oil to thicken in cold temperatures. Synthetic motor oils are made from pure chemicals, not refined crude.

Their components are chemically reacted to produce finished products with predesigned performance characteristics. Because of their molecular uniformity, they excel in reducing friction, which improves fuel efficiency, controls heat and reduces wear. This molecular uniformity also helps synthetics resist thinning in hot temperatures and thickening in cold.

Q: My friend says synthetic oils are better for the environment. I say that improperly disposed, synthetic oils aren't really any better. Who's right?

A: You are both right. The environmental benefits of synthetic lubricants are most apparent when you consider their extended drain capabilities. Synthetic compressor oils last eight times longer than their petroleum counterparts. This mean eight times less waste oil to dispose of. Synthetic motor oils for cars and light trucks have drain recommendations of two to 10 times conventional petroleum depending on the product and the manufacturer. Fewer oil changes means less waste oil as well as less container waste disposal. If oil change intervals were extended universally, there would be less making its way into our drinking water. It should be noted that synthetic motor oils still require the same disposal care as traditional petroleum motor oils.

Q: I know synthetic motor oil is better in winter cold, but what about benefits for people who live in Arizona or South Texas? Do synthetics have any hot weather advantages?

A: Oil volatility is the measure of how susceptible an oil is to boil-off under high heat conditions. Most petroleum oils experience signifi**LEARNING ABOUT MOTOR OIL will teach you how to make your**

car run more efficiently.(WMS) - Motor oils serve a variety of functions in your car's engine. In addition to lubricating and cooling engine parts, motor oil must allow easy starting, protect the engine from corrosion and oxidation, keep the engine clean, form a tight seal between piston rings and cylinder walls and help the engine use fuel efficiently.

cant boil-off during high temp engine operation and are expelled into the environment.

The thicker oil left behind contributes to damaging deposits, sticky piston rings and oil blow-by, all contributing to reduced life and drag on performance. Synthetic oils are far more impervious to this kind of degradation. The lower volatility of synthetics is another reason they are better for the environment than conventional products.

Q: Are there any advantages to conventional petrole-

A: Petroleum-based motor

oils do have an initial price advantage over synthetics. In advancing the cost issue, it helps to keep in mind that even the most expensive motor oil is cheaper than engine repairs caused by inadequate metal to metal protection or general lubricant failure. Synthetics have been proven to give superior year-round protection and performance.

When motorists evaluate their lubricant costs on a per year or per mile basis, rather than on the basis of cost per oil change, synthetic motor oils with extended drain intervals will actually cost less than conventional motor

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Easy Tips For Successful Family Road Trips

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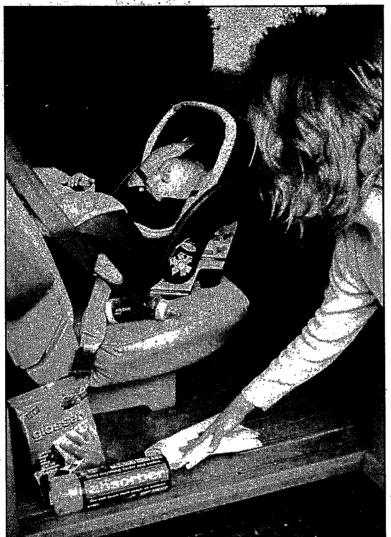
Aside from the obvious drawbacks, time spent traveling together can create memories that your children will remember for the rest of their lives. Following are a few suggestions from veteran "road warrior" parents that can help make your trip a calmer, more pleasurable

Plan the Route

Joe Lester, a father of two from Lomita, California, suggests getting the kids involved in planning the trip. "Getting them involved to help select the route to take and some of the places to visit along the way will give them a vested interest in the journey," he says.

Before you go, help children research historical points of interest along the way. Not only will it build anticipation for the trip, it's an opportunity to keep up with your child's interests. When you start out, give children maps to trace your routes or help them create their own maps and identify landmarks along the way. A fun way to keep children entertained, it is also a great way to build or reinforce your child's geography, research and history skills.

Another option is to have each child create a travel journal. Keep plenty of pens and colored pencils handy (colored pencils are less likely to stain the vehicle's interior than stepped-on crayons or felt-tip markers). Using a



PERFECT FOR ROAD TRIPS, tools like The Absorber (featured above) can be used for an array of purposes, from fast and easy car cleanups to cooling a fever.(WMS) - When it comes to planning a family road trip, take a good long breath and let go of any expectations you may have about what constitutes "qualitime with the entire family. Even parents who set out with the best intentions to enjoy time together are sometimes gripped by the fantasy of dropping everyone off at a rest stop and driving away before the rest of the family realizes they're

three-ring binder provides ing you to intersperse lined

blank pages for coloring and photo book pages to capture small keepsakes found throughout the journey.

Be Prepared

Make sure to keep plenty of snacks and water on hand. Every parent knows that hungry little travelers are usually difficult little travelers. Bring familiar objects that will keep the kids comfortable like a favorite pillow and a soft blanket. Plan plenty of rest stops so everyone can stretch their legs and get some fresh air. If possible, avoid traveling during the hottest part of the day, scheduling time on the road in the earlier morning or late after-

Some parents would argue that even after you've armed vourself with an array of car games, snacks and distractions, you'll still end up with game pieces, crumbs, trash and spilled drinks covering the floor of your freshly detailed family car. It is very important to stay on top of the havoc generated inside your car. Letting the mess linger adds to the level of sensory input for both you and your youngsters and can overload the circuits in no

Chuck Paulson, a father of four from Phoenix, Arizona, recommends The Absorber, a super-absorbent soft-sponge that can be used like a towel for fast and easy cleanups. It pulls moisture out of cloth seats or carpet, for those the greatest flexibility, allow- pages for note taking with times when kid cups are not

as spill-proof as they claim. Wring it out and it's reusable; to clean, just rinse it out or toss it in the washing machine during nighttime hotel stops.

Linda Montgomery of Seattle, Washington, a mother of one, carries an empty 3pound butter tub whenever she travels with kids in the car. She said, "If one of the kids gets sick, you can use the tub as a trash can; then you use the lid to re-cover the

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Ten Ways You Can Save Money on Gasoline

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With fuel prices on the rise and concerns about future availability, you're probably searching for ways to conserve as much gas as possible. Learn how to get more mileage for your money with these easy tips, courtesy of Amsoil.

1. Drive with caution. Don't exceed highway speed limits. Use moderate-to-easy acceleration. Gas mileage is negatively affected by fast acceleration and fast deceleration. If possible, use cruise control on highway trips. Maintaining a constant speed helps reduce fuel consumption.

2. Maintain a properly

tuned engine. Dirty spark plugs do not create the maximum spark and cause reduced horsepower and increased emissions.

3. Go easy on the air conditioning. Limit use of air conditioning, especially on hot summer days.

4. Use synthetic lubricants. Switch to synthetic motor oil and drivetrain lubricants. Independent tests show savings of five to eight percent using Amsoil synthetic motor oil, gear lubes and ATF.

5. Maintain your car's air filter. Install a new air filter as needed. To get optimal efficiency from your engine, it has to breathe.

TO SAVE MONEY WHILE you're driving this spring and summer, Don't exceed highway speed limits. Use moderate-to-easy acceleration. Gas mileage is negatively affected by fast acceleration and fast deceleration. If possible, use cruise control on highway trips. Maintaining a constant speed helps reduce fuel consumption.

6. Take advantage of aerodynamics. Keep windows

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rolled up if you are travelling over 40 mph. At highway speeds, traveling with the windows open can create a wind drag that will lower your mileage.

Sun roofs also disturb smooth aerodynamic air flow and reduce mileage. Also avoid using a roof rack; you can reduce aerodynamic drag and improve fuel economy by placing items inside the trunk whenever possible.

7. Take good care of your tires. Make sure your tires are properly inflated and keep them balanced and rotated regularly. Use radial tires for less friction between tire and road. Also, make sure the front end is aligned for better mileage and a longer tire life.

8. Avoid excess weight. Pack light and clean out your trunk periodically. You would be surprised how much unnecessary stuff most people carry around in their trunks. Every 200 pounds of unnecessary weight shaves one mile per gallon off your gas mileage.

9. Minimize idling. One minute of idling uses more fuel than restarting your engine. When possible, avoid drive-throughs. Idling for as little as 10 minutes while you wait in line can waste 5 or 6 miles of gas. Limit warm-ups to 30 seconds.

10. Plan trips in advance. Make a list of errands and try to take care of as many as possible on the same trip.

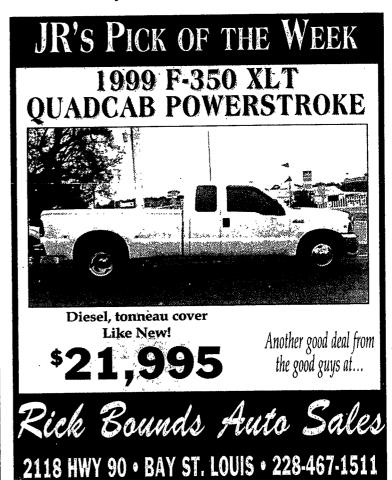








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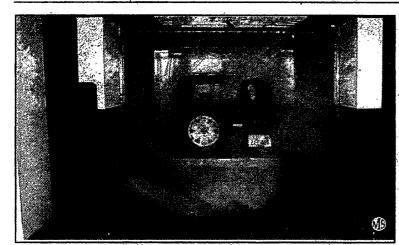
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Getting your car in shape for summer can be fast & easy

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Now that winter is over, thoughts of fitting into your swimsuit and spring cleaning come to mind. Why not also tack onto that list the sprucing up of your car at a professional car wash? With all the snow, road salt and freezing rain from the last few months, winter has produced some harmful effects on your car's finish and interior. And now there are warm weather hazards to contend with.

WARMER CLIMATE **HAZARDS**

Just as winter road salt eats away at your car's finish, in warmer climates, acid rain, falling leaves, dead bugs and other airborne debris also erode the appearance of your car.

"Acid rain damage is caused when high concentrations of emissions from fossil-fuel burning engines or plants react with your car's paint to form sulfuric and nitric acids," explains Mark Thorsby, executive director of the International Carwash Association (ICA).

"The result of this process is the penetration and etching of clear coat finishes, of which the protective qualities will then eventually corrode, exposing the paint to many harmful elements. A

car with bad acid rain damage could be significantly devalued at trade-in or resale time."

The best prevention is to keep your car clean by frequenting a professional car wash at least once or twice a month, especially following a rainy day.

Even the lightest shower could cause irreparable damage to your vehicle's finish if not quickly professionally cleaned.

At the car wash, have them apply a polymer-based or similar protective highgloss wax to further protect the car's finish from such hazards as decaying bugs, bird droppings, tar oil and

MAINTAIN YOUR CAR'S **VALUE AND** APPEARANCE

With all the new hazards facing your car from the warmer'weather, there are also many other reasons to regularly professionally clean your vehicle.

"Most car owners understand the value of changing motor oil regularly to protect the engine," states Thorsby. But if they forget and instead choose to replace the engine, the car could still be as good as new. However, a

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Is Replacing Your Old Car Worth the Effort?

Thinking about investing perhaps no more than the amount of a down payment to fix it up just may make the soundest financial sense. A little money can go a long way toward upgrading a car:

Here's how to consider this option objectively:

1. Visit a mechanic, and let him inspect your car. After compiling a list of mechanical needs, he can approximate the cost to put it back in good shape. If the car is paid for, you'll probably save money by giving it a new lease on life. Further, by having it repaired, you can make your car serviceable for another two to three years while saving toward its replacement. After all, you'll probably have more value to bargain with when you're ready to trade.

2. Diagnosing mechanical problems is one consideration, but how about a manicure? Car owners should look to buffing out the paint job, fixing dented fenders or replacing missing trim. Some touch-up work or perhaps a new paint job may be needed. How about pinstripes or adding rims to dress up the tires a bit?

3. Next, look at the interior.

Does the fabric need to be cleaned and/or repaired? Would a

sunroof make "Old Faithful" snazzier?

To estimate the costs of a cosmetic upgrade, you'll need the help of a body and paint shop, as well as an upholstery and trim professional.

If you decide to revamp the car you already own, depending upon the extent of the project, you may need a little help from your bank. Most banks will be eager to finance a loan for repairs on an older car -- the sum will be less than a loan for a new car and, therefore, there's a reduced risk. Your payments will be smaller and on a shorter term also.

So, the options beckon:

* a new car that may strain the budget and depreciate once you drive off the lot,

* a used car that's an unknown, and

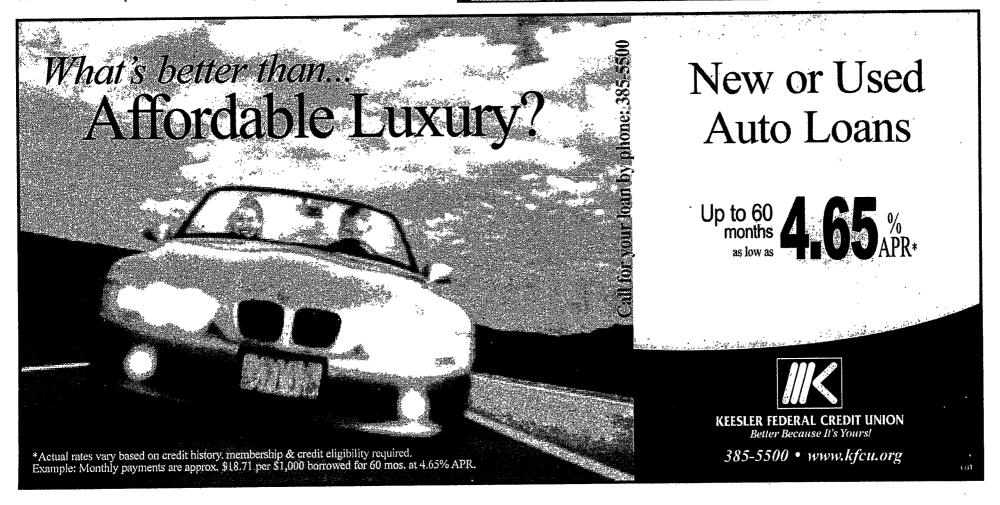
* the once-beloved car you already own.

Remember, regardless of the work your car requires, it may not be as costly as the first two options. Put the pencil to it, and arrive at a conclusive figure.

Treat your car to a make-over or an upgrade and, in return, it will give you extended years of driving enjoyment.



INSTEAD OF BUY-ING A NEW CAR, you may be able to save yourself the time and effort of going from dealership to dealership simply by repairing your old car. Consider using the money you would have used for a down payment to pay for the needed repairs.ls your old car squeezing you for everything you're worth? Are you fighting the urge, with every last ounce of determination, to head for the dealer's showroom or usedcar lot? Well, whether it's the once-trusty family sedan, the onceshiny sports car or the pickup that was once the envy of truckers from Idaho to Ohio, your once-prized vehicle probably represents a sizable invest-



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How to Select a Reliable Used

2. What's the mileage?

Don't emphasize this too

much, but do take it into

account. Ask if they drove

mostly on the highway or in

the city. Highway miles are

better, but this still is only

records or by checking the stickers on the inside of the

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mileage can be assessed

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A lemon is a vehicle that continues to have a defect that substantially impairs its use, value or safety. Generally, if the car has been repaired for our more times for the same defect within the warranty period and the defect has not been fixed, the car qualifies as a lemon. Many states have passed Lemon Laws, which makes people liable if they attempt to profit by selling a defective vehicle. Buying a used car can be a hair-raising experience. A slick salesperson can gloss over the damage an accident caused or lead you to believe the car is in better condition than it really is. This doesn't mean that you should throw in the towel and sign up for a highinterest lease; buying a used car still is the most affordable option around.

Before you take the plunge, it is important to ask



TO GET THE BEST VALUE FOR YOU MONEY, It's important to know the right questions to ask before purchasing a used car.

several questions of the seller to get an idea of the purchase you'll be making. Following are a few ideas to help get you started.

1. Are you the first owner? If the owner has cared for the car, there usually will be receipts to prove it.

driver's door.

3. Why are you selling the car? "Because I had a baby," is a good answer. "I just feel like it," can make you wonder if the car has needed continual repairs.

4. What condition is it in? The "Get What You Paid For" theory certainly applies to used cars. Ask how often the car has been maintained (oil checked, timing adjusted, tires rotated) just to get a general idea.

Ask to see receipts for this work.

5. Has it been in an accident? An accident can alter anything from the car's steering to the engine's performance; front-end damage can especially be problemat-

6. Has the car been emissions-tested? Different states have different regulations, so find out what's required in your state. Be careful -- this can require complex repairs if the car isn't up to standards.

7. Any other problems? These might include problems with the engine (strange noise while running, oil leaks), the transmission (clunking sounds while shifting, slipping out of gear), the clutch (sticky, stiff or difficult to shift), the brakes (pulling or locking) and the body (rusts or dents).

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container until you have a chance to stop the car and get everyone cleaned up.

If you need to cool a fever, run The Absorber under water, then hold the cloth to your child's face or neck; it acts like a cool compress until you wring it out. It comes in its own carrying case, so when you're done you can toss it back in the glove box or under a seat until the next time you need it. If your family getaway involves camping, The Absorber also works great as a personal towel; wringing it out between uses eliminates loads of laundry.

In case you decide to bring Fido along on the trip, there are also colored Absorbers available that you can readily dedicate to drying the dog for those times that he's gotten into things he shouldn't have.

Safety First

Bring an emergency kit with band-ages, scissors, antiseptic and any medications family members may need. Pre-packaged kits can

be purchased at most major retailers. It's also a good idea to carry a flashlight.

In addition to the camera or camcorder you bring along to capture the memories, make sure to bring a camera to provide proof of any accidents. Storing a disposable camera in the car ensures that you always have one on hand. Also make sure to have supplies that will help you collect pertinent information in case of an accident.

A cell phone is also a good tool to have in case of emergency, says father of three and former police officer Dave Marsden of Los Angeles, California. Dialing 911 on your cell phone will connect you to the closest sheriff's office to your loca-

Use your cell phone sparingly, though; according to safety experts, drivers who use the phone while driving are many times more likely to be involved in an accident.

Most importantly, stay focused and alert on the road.

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car with oxidized paint and a rusted-out body can never be economically restored."

With more than 73,000 professional car washes around the world offering a range of services to protect a car's finish from deteriorating and the body from rust, it's easy to keep your vehicle in great shape.

Some simple steps to maintain your car include:

Visit an exterior-only tunnel wash to automatically provide applied protective waxes, undercarriage treatment and self-serve vacuums.

Consider a detail job or custom polishing while at the wash for more extensive protection.

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Applying a premium polish and buffing it can restore the shine of your car.

With regard to detailing, everything from vacuuming under rugs in the trunk to swabbing air conditioner vents can make a car look new in a matter of hours.

A QUICK FIX

If you are running short on time, but need your car professionally cleaned, try a self-service car wash, where there are a variety of effective, self-cleaning services to choose from.

For the best results, follow the step-by-step instructions posted in the self-serve bay that call for starting with a pre-soak to loosen road grime.

Next comes the high pressure soap wash. For gentle scrubbing, use the foaming brush next, followed by the fresh water rinse. Also remember to take advantage of the application of special tire and wheel cleaners. For maximum protection and shine, the wax application is a must.

Many self-serve washes offer a spot-free rinse using solutions that are specially formulated to clean tough road dirt, protect and shine.

Not only does regular professional car washing help you retain the value of your vehicle, it is also more environmentally beneficial than driveway washing.

